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Chamber of Deputies in a Great Uproar During Heated Debate.

SHOUTS FOR KING BY SOME

France Must Choose Between Revolution and Progressive Evolution. Spirit of Adventure Will Rend Republic.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Paris, May 13.—A turbulent session of the Chamber of Deputies today ended in another signal victory for Premier Clemenceau, when the Government's policy with regard to the Postal strike was emphatically endorsed by a vote of 454 to 59, including also the government's insistence that the Postal employes and other functionaries have no right to strike. Immediately afterwards the Chamber passed a vote of general confidence in the government 365 to 159.

The strikers received the Chamber's rebuke with a shrug of the shoulders, declaring that it only served to bind closer their forces, which would soon startle the country by a big increase and a rapid extension of the movement. On the other hand, it is intimated that the government has other plans in view to offset any serious growth of the strike.

Up to midnight there was no change in the situation. If anything, it was in the direction of a weakening of the strike sentiment. The general conviction is that if the movement does not make vast strides tomorrow it is almost certain of complete failure.

M. Barthou, minister of public works,, posts and telegraphs, asserted during the debate that only 2,367 out of 24,205 postal employes in Paris and the department of the Seine are out, and that conditions in the provinces were even better.

M. Combrouze, Radical Republican, virtually charged the Socialists with being the tools of the Reactionaries. He declared specifically that M. Morel owed his seat to the Duke D'Uzes. Instantly the Chamber was in an uproar.

One of the delegates bounded over the Presidential chair, grabbed the bell and rang furiously. Then the Socialists began singing the "Internationale," to which M. Baudry-Asson and his Royalist colleagues standing on chairs, replied by singing "Vive Henry IV."

M. D'Asson climbed the tribune and with the Socialists shouting and singing, he tried to harangue the Deputies. Outside in the corridors several persons who raised the cry "Vive LeRoi" were almost mobbed.

Premier Clemenceau and the Ministers summoned the sergeant-at-arms, who ejected M. D'Asson. After an hour the session was resumed.

Premier Clemenceau, in a typical epigrammatic speech, coolly concluded the exciting session with the declaration that it was merely a case where France must choose between revolution on the one hand and progressive evolution on the other, or between work, under Republican law and order, and a spirit of adventure calculated to disorganize and rend the Republic.

CLOSE ON TRAIL OF NEGRO.

Would-be Assassin of White Planter Surrounded in Swamp.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Trenton, S. C., May 13.—Peter Coates, a negro, who on Tuesday shot and seriously wounded B. A. Jordan, a white planter near Johnston, is believed to be surrounded in a swamp near this place. It is said that should he be caught tonight he will be summarily dealt with. Jordan is now said to have some chance of recovery.

OUTLINES.

John C. and Martin T. Davis have been indicted by the grand jury at Washington, for embezzlement of large sums of money and for false pretence——The United States Court of Appeals at Richmond yesterday refused to grant an appeal in the case of Westervelt against the North Carolina Mining Company——In Washington yesterday, James J. Hill, the railroad magnet, told President Taft that if the oratorical steam and tariff tinkling is shut off the country will enter upon a career of prosperity——Receiver Garrett, of the Seaboard Air Line, will resign to go into the manufacture of railroad supplies——The French Chamber of Deputies was in a great uproar yesterday, there being shouts for a king——The Wright Brothers were accorded a warm welcome at their home at Dayton, Ohio, yesterday——The Roosevelts have had more luck in killing giraffes——The United States Senate yesterday made the tariff on iron ore 25 cents, Senators Simmons, Daniel and Tillman voting for it——New York Markets: Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 2 per cent, ruling rate 2, closing bid 1 1-2; offered at 1 3-4; spot cotton quiet 11.30; flour firm with a better inquiry; wheat irregular, No. 2 red 1.44 to 1.45 elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 83 1-5 elevator; oats steady, mixed 62 1-2 to 61; turpentine and rosin quiet.

MASON GATHERING ENDS.

The Next Meeting to be Held in Salisbury—Officers Elected.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., May 13.—The annual meetings of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Masons, the Order of High Priesthood, the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, and the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, which convened here Tuesday night, adjourned this afternoon and the visitors began leaving for their homes in the various parts of the State. The visitors have been royally entertained by the hospitable people of the city and they leave here singing the praises of the Twin-City folks. Salisbury was selected as the next place of meeting.

The following were elected officers of the Grand Chapter:

John B. Griggs, Elizabeth City, M. E. grand high priest; J. W. Shuford, Hickory, R. E. deputy grand high priest; U. M. Robinson, Wilmington, R. E. grand treasurer; James C. Munds, Wilmington, R. E. grand secretary; H. A. Murrill, Charlotte, R. E. grand scribe; J. E. Cameron, Kinston, R. E. grand captain of the host; J. T. Alderman, Henderson, R. E. grand principal sojourner; L. A. Dodsworth, Charlotte, R. E. grand royal arch captain; A. S. Guerard, Asheville, R. E. grand master 3rd veil; George S. Norfleet, Winston, R. E. grand master 2nd veil; R. F. Reed, Lincolnton, R. E. grand master 1st veil; Rev. F. N. Skinner, Beaufort, E. grand chaplain; F. M. Moye, Wilson, E. grand lecturer; R. H. Bradley, Raleigh, E. grand sentinel.

NEGROES FINALLY CAPTURED

Sheriff's Murderers Placed In Savannah Jail to Escape Lynching.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Savannah, Ga., May 13.—After being trailed day after day by dogs through the swamps of Wayne county two of the three negroes who escaped from the county jail at Jesup, Ga., after almost killing Deputy Sheriff Madray, were captured today and were brought to Savannah for safe keeping and to escape the lynching threatened from the moment Deputy Madray was found with his skull broken and prints of the boot heels in his face. The captives were caught in a boat they had stolen and while they were trying to row down the Altamaha river to the sea. Feeling is high against them.

NOT ENTITLED TO REFUND

Case of Lumber Company vs. Southern Railway Decided.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Macon, Ga., May 13.—In a report by Standing Master Talley on the claim of the Garbutt Lumber Company in the case of Tift vs Southern Railway, the conclusions is that the saw mill men, although members of the Georgia-Florida Saw Mill Association are not entitled to a refund of 2 cents per 100 pounds on lumber shipped to the western points to which the increased rate was declared illegal.

THE DAVISES ARE INDICTED

Former Wilmingtonians Charged With Embezzlement, Forgery, Etc. John C. Davis Squeezed Victims for $250,000.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 13.—John C. Davis and his brother, Martin T. Davis, whose alleged questionable dealings in high finance came to an abrupt close last week with a deluge of complaints from residents of this city, Alexandria, Va., and other cities, were indicted by the grand jury here today. The indictments charge embezzlement and misappropriation of vast sums of money, forgery and the uttering of the forged papers and false pretenses.

Five true bills charging embezzlement and two charging forgery and utterance were returned against John C. Davis. Embezzlement from the Potomac Building & Loan Association, of which he was secretary and treasurer, and forgery are alleged against Martin T. Davis. In adition to these, joint indictments charge the brothers with forgery and false pretenses.

The embezzlement charges so far acted on by the grand jury against John C. Davis aggregate $52,000. Assistant United States Attorney Proctor says the total claims brought to his attention aggregate $150,000. In addition he knows of a case where $25,000 was secured from a person who has not made complaint up to this time. Other claimants, it is expected, desiring to avoid publicity, have not made complaint.

Including these claims United States Attorney Baker today estimated at $250,000 the total amount secured by John C. Davis from investors.

Mr. Baker made a statement exonerating Thomas A. Owen, who was arrested on a charge of conspiracy with the Davis brothers and released on $1,000 bond last Saturday.

WOMEN TO VOTE.

Episcopal Council Grants Suffrage on Church Questions Only.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Spartanburg, S. C., May 13.—The South Carolina Council of the Episcopal church in session here today voted to extend to women the privilege of voting on church questions. The change was carried by a large majority, both of clergy and laity. The question of dividing the diocese was referred to a special committee.

DEBATE OVER TARIFF

Iron Ore to be Protected by Duty of Twenty-Five Cents.

SENATOR SIMMONS FOR IT

Anti-Trust Feature of Discussion Precipitated by Tillman—Philippine Tariff Bill in House—Cannon's Policy Upheld.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 13.—After a day devoted to discussing the duty on iron ore the Senate, just before adjournment, adopted by a vote of 61 to 24, the recommendation of the committee on finance for a duty of 25 cents per ton on iron ore. The House had placed that article on the free list while the present law levies a duty on it, of 40 cents per ton.

In taking this vote party lines were annihilated, as seventeen Democrats voted "aye" with the Republicans and 12 Republicans voted "no" with the Democrats. During the day Senator Bailey, in announcing that he proposed to vote for the duty on iron ore as a revenue declared that such action did not affect the prosperity of the United States Steel Corporation and added that even if it did there was a better way to deal with that organization which was an enforcement of the anti-trust law against it. He declared that he expected to see this law enforced and he expressed confidence that eventually the officers of the steel corporation would either be in the penitentiary or fugitives from justice. For the first time there was a suggestion looking to the fixing of a day for a vote, but it came to naught because of objection from Senator Beveridge.

Mr. Burrows opened the debate today and it assumed a wide range during which Mr. Tillman inquired if anything was ever to be done about the illegal absorption of Tennessee Coal and Iron by the steel corporation. Mr. Culberson said if the Attorney General had no information, he could furnish it to him. Mr. Bailey later argued that there was a better way to control the steel trust than taking off the duty from iron ore and that was to enforce the Sherman anti-trust law. Mr. Bailey proposed a penitentiary sentence as an efficient method for correcting the abuses of the anti-trust laws.

Democratic Senators who voted for the committee amendment were: Bacon, Bailey, Chamberlain, Clay, Daniel, Fletcher, Foster, Frazier, Johnsson (Alabama), McEnery, Martin, Paynter, Simmons, Stone, Taliaferro, Taylor and Tillman.

The House.

Washington, May 13.—The House today was again in the throes of a tariff discussion, the entire day being spent in the consideration of the Philippine tariff bill. It encountered no serious opposition, however, although Messrs. Harrison (New York) and Underwood (Alabama) criticised it generally. After the reading of the bill had been concluded further action was deferred until Monday.

Earlier in the day Mr. Clark, of Missouri objected to immediate consideration of a bill amending the organic act of Porto-Rico in accordance with the President's suggestions in his recent message and it went over.

Speaker Cannon's policy not appointing committees was upheld by a substantial majority after Mr. Garrett, (Tennessee) had sought to have him directed to name the committee on insular affairs.

At 5:17 o'clock, the House adjourned until Monday.

TARIFF TINKERING HURTS.

Railroad Magnate Says It Scares Off Prosperity.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 13.—James J. Hill, the railroad magnate called on President Taft today. He expressed the belief that if the tariff legislation was cut off short; that if the oratorical steam in Congress was shut off, the country would begin a great era of prosperity at an early date. "All eyes are turned on Washington," said Mr. Hill. Some people seem to think that legislation will cure the toothache, set a broken limb, or make crops. Talk and agitation here in Washington keep people in suspense, make them forget their business and hope for some legislative cure-all. What we want is to have the tariff agitation over with and let the people get back to work and aid the great wheels of progress to turn. Then things will begin to hum. The outlook is good in all directions."

Speaking of the possibilities of agriculture in the West and the South, Mr. Hill, who himself is a farmer, owning one farm of 20,000 acres and another of 6,000, said that these two sections are coming forward by leaps and bounds. He declared that the South is struggling to restore the soil which was exhausted by her improvident methods of agriculture before the war. He predicted a great future for the South.

Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

THE BAPTIST HOSTS

Leaders of Great Denomination in The South at Louisville, Ky.

ARE NOW DOWN TO WORK

Opening Session Enthusiastic and Interesting—Practically All Officers Were Re-elected—A Big Gathering.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Louisville, Ky., May 13.—The first business which concerned the Southern Baptist Convention which opened at the First Regiment Armory tonight was the re-election of practically its entire official roster. The officers include: Joshua Leevering, Baltimore, president; Lansing Burrows, Tennessee, and Oliver F. Gregory, Virginia, secretaries; George Norton, Kentucky, treasurer, and W. P. Harvey, Kentucky, auditor.

The huge armory has been quarter-portioned with a canvas drop from its ceiling to the floor in order to provide a convention hall. In this space were seated upwards of 5,000 persons, of whom 3,000 were delegates to the convention, when Mr. Levering opened it tonight.

After the election of President E. Y. Mullins, of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, of Louisville, welcomed the delegates in a brief speech. John E. White, of North Carolina, responded to the welcome and Rev. Dr. E. C. Dargon, of Macon, Ga., preached the opening sermon.

The Baptist Young People's Union adopted unanimously the report of the nominating committee, electing the following officers: W. W. Hamilton, Lynchburg, Va., president; W. B. Moorer, Oklahoma, first vice president; William Russell Owen, Baltimore, second vice president; R. H. Coleman, Texas, third vice president; L. P. Leavell, Mississippi, recording secretary; T. J. Watts, Kentucky, treasurer. State vice presidents at large include: R. Vanderventer, Georgia; C. W. Duke, Florida; H. E. Gambrell, Maryland; W. C. Barrett, North Carolina; H. B. Hale, South Carolina.

The Woman's Missionary Union reported that during its 21 years of existence, without the aid of one "male creature," $1,498,672.98 was raised. The Union has 150,000 members.

Jos. N. Shenstone, of Toronto, Ont., whose declaration last night that he intended to devote his great fortune to missionary work stirred the laymen, added another electric shock at the meeting of the laymen today when he said quietly: "I would be ashamed to be worth a million."

The reports at the laymen's meeting from the various States were of great interest. J. T. Henderson, Bristol, Tenn., speaking for Florida, said: "We have interested 17 State officials in the work." J. H. Tyler and Joshua Levering, Maryland, reported: "We have developed dollar and a half Baptists and secured $18,200 in the year." J. L. White, North Carolina: "We have awakened the spirit and will hold a conference this Summer."

Mr. Shenstope said that Canada was now giving $500,000 a year for missions and D. D. Mullins ended the report with a general address concerning what the Seminary has done for laymen in the South.

The Southern Baptist Education Society at a final meeting elected the following officers: R. T. Patrick, Marion, Ala., president; G. M. Poteat, Greenville, S. C., vice president; W. A. Rivers, Conway, Ark. secretary.

Resolutions were adopted that the society be made into an Association at its 1910 meeting with delegates from church districts and from Baptist colleges.

ODD FELLOWS ADJOURN

Grand Lodge Most Largely Attended in Years—Installation of Officers.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., May 13.—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows adjourned at 1:30 this afternoon after the installation of officers, the remainder of the day being given over to sightseeing. The Encampment branch met this evening when the three degrees were conferred. The Rebekahs concluded their sessions yesterday with the election of Miss Hattie Reed Whitaker, of Hendersonville, as president of the Rebekah State Assembly. The convention has been one of the largest in the history of the order in the State. The presence of Grand Sire W. F. Kuykendall, of the sovereign grand lodge, was a big feature.

THEATRE MAN SHOT

Accidental Affair at Daurens, S. C., Early Last Night.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Laurens, S. C., May 13.—J. Ross Wilson, member of the Demorest Comedy Company, was tonight accidentally shot by Dick Lewis just before the performance at the opera house. The bullet entered the lower abdomen and physicians say the man will probably die before morning. Wilson is married and is a native of Sullivan, Ills.

Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

THE CLARENDON BRIDGE.

Capt. Brown Questions Authority of Cumberland County to Build.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., May 13.—The right of Cumberland county to construct a bridge across the Cape Fear river to replace the Clarendon bridge, burned some time ago, has been questioned by Capt. Earl I. Brown, United States Engineer in charge of this district. In a letter to J. J. Bullard, chairman of the County Commissioners, he asks if the county has secured Congressional authority for the erection of the bridge, which is about one-third completed. County Attorney Chas. G. Rose, to whom the matter was referred, wrote Capt. Brown today that in his opinion authority from Congress was not necessary, as the bridge is being built above the recognized point of navigation. He has also written Senator Overman and Congressman Godwin, requesting investigation and asking if necessary, the passage of a bill granting permission to build the bridge.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S BIG GAME.

Giraffes and Rhinoceros Fall Before Ex-President's Gun.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Nairobu, British East Africa, May 13—Theodore Roosevelt's hunting trips continue to be successful. The animals that most recently have fallen before his gun include two giraffes and a rhinoceros. Kermit, his son, has succeeded in bringing down a big bull giraffe.

Mr. Roosevelt today visited the American mission at Machakos. The entire party will break camp near Machakos tomorow and move to the Ju Ja ranch of Geo. McMillan. All the members of the expedition are well.

The American mission referred to in the above dispatch is maintained by the African International Mission and is in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Johnston. The object of the work is the evangelization of the interior tribes.

NORTH CAROLINA MINING CO.

Suit Involving Lands Valued at Over One Million.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., May 13.—A petition was filed with the United States Circuit Court of Appeals today by Hannis Taylor, of Washington, to grant an appeal to the Supreme Court in the case of Westfelt against the North Carolina Mining Company which was dismissed from the Appellate Court during its last term. The petition was refused and Mr. Taylor will apply to the Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus to take the case higher up. The case involves possession of a tract of land in western North Carolina valued at over a million dollars.

Paul M. Rea, of Charleston, S. C., was one of the vice presidents elected today by the American Association of Museums, at Philadelphia.

W. A. GARRETT TO RETIRE

Leaves Seaboard Air Line to Go With Baltimore Railway Construction Firm—Takes Optimistic View of Future.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Baltimore, May 13.—Confirmation was had today of the report that W. A. Garrett, president of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, and chief executive officer under the receivers of the road, would resign his position. Mr. Garrett will, however, remain with the railroad in his present capacity until November 1st next, at which time he will become vice president of the T. H. Symington Co., of Baltimore, extensive manufacturers of railway equipment.

Mr. Garrett said that to handle properly and economically the enormous volume of business that will be offered in the next few years by the shipping public, the railroads must make large expenditures for terminals, additional facilities, power and equipment, and he believed the manufacturing field, especially the manufacture of staple iron and steel products, was a broader one and offered greater rewards than the railroad service.

MEETING OF COUNTRY BANKERS.

Third Annual Session at Rockingham Next Tuesday and Wednesday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rockingham, N. C., May 13.—The third annual meeting of the Country Bankers' Association of North Carolina will be held here Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

The opening session of the convention will be held in the Dixie Opera House Tuesday night, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. A reception and banquet will be given at the Rockingham Hotel beginning at 10 o'clock and elaborate preparations have been made for this event. There will be a business meeting Wednesday morning in the Dixie Opera House, following which the visitors will be given a carriage drive and at 1:30 P. M. they will lunch at Blewett's Falls.

The officers are: L. S. Covington, president; W. L. Marshall, vice president, and Hinton James, secretary and treasurer. The executive committee is composed of Messrs. Thomas Evans, John W. Moore, J. S. Jones, J. W. Cunningham and Warren C. Stack.

AFFAIRS IN RALEIGH

Significant Turn in Controversy Over Goldsboro Union Depot.

THE DIOCESAN CONVENTION

Meets Next in Winston—Cape Fear Oil Co., Amends Charter—Education and Good Roads Missionaries—Cruise.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 13.—A significant turn was taken today in the contest on for some time between the Corporation Commission, the Norfolk and Southern, the Atlantic Coast Line and the Southern Railway in the matter of the use of the union station at Goldsboro by the Norfolk and Southern, in that an order issues from the commission for the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Co., to appear May 22nd and show cause why that corporation should not be made a party to the proceeding.

The situation is that the Coast Line, the Southern and Norfolk and Southern, before the receivership of the latter, were parties to a contract to share one-third each in the union station. The Coast Line by agreement proceeded with the construction, the station and connections costing $105,000. The Southern paid over its one-third obligation but the Norfolk and Southern after the receivership turned down the contract and refused to participate under the plea of inability. The Coast Line and the Southern took care of the union station expense and after the Corporation Commission made its order for the Norfolk and Southern to run its trains into the station, insisted that the Norfolk and Southern must take over its one-third obligation which it refused to do. It is understood that this calling of the Atlantic and North Carolina into the case is in effect taking the ground that the Norfolk and Southern is failing to carry out the obligations of its lease of the Atlantic and North Carolina which gives the Norfolk and Southern entrance into Goldsboro and that if this condition is continued the lease may be annulled and the Atlantic and North Carolina in which the State is the controlling stockholder may be require to take up the operation of the road and abate the inconvenience now inflicted on the traveling public by the union station trouble at Goldsboro.

Chairman Franklin McNeill, of the Commission, has gone to Rosindale, Bladen county, on the Carolina Central railroad, to investigate complaints against the station facilities there.

The Cape Fear Oil Co., Wilmington, chartered some weeks ago to establish an independent illuminating oil business for that city and Eastern Carolina, amends its charter so the capital is increased from $50,000 to $125,000 and providing for the issuance of certain classes of preferred stock. The capital has not yet been paid in or organization perfected.

The Episcopal convention today celebrated the Holy Communion and morning prayer and at 10 o'clock heard the annual address of Bishop Cheshire which gave a gratifying account of the work of the church for the past year in the Diocese of North Carolina. The early afternoon was devoted to a report of St. Mary's School by Rev. Geo. W. Lay, the rector, followed by remarks by Colonel Charles E. Johnson and other members of the convention on the interest and sustaining effort that should be extended to the parochial school. The report was the most gratifying ever made for the institution, showing especially a determination to maintain a good and uniform standard of education. Dr. Lay referred to the work of enlarging the capacity and improving the equipment of the school. A new dormitory now in progress of construction will increase the capacity by fifty students. He impressed on the convention the urgent necessity for $40,000 at once to complete the improvements deemed necessary by the trustees.

Thompson orphanage and its work were discussed by Rev. Walter J. Smith, of Charlotte, superintendent, and Arch Deacon E. A. Osborn, of Charlotte, enlargement of the scope of the work and more regular and liberal contributions for support were urged on the part of the various parishes.

Tonight there was a Sunday School conference in which the special speakers were Rev. Thaddeus A. Cheatham, Wilson; Robert G. Kizrell, Rev. Thos. G. Faulkner, Greensboro, and Hon. John S. Henderson, Salisbury.

Winston-Salem gets the 1910 session of the convention. The choice was between Winston-Salem and Greensboro. Winston-Salem won especially because St. Paul's parish is finishing a handsome stone church and the church people are eager to see and enjoy this splendid edifice as well as partake of the famed hospitality of the people of the twin city.

The convention elected as delegates to the Missionary Council next November at Montgomery, Ala., Dr. I. McK.

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TARIFF ON SUGAR.

The Republicans as well as the Democrats of the United States expected the Republican party to protect American industries but nobody can deny that the demand was general for a revision of the tariff. At least, it was expected that the duties on necessities would be reduced but such is not the programme of Senator Aldrich and those who are standing by him, as has been shown by the Star's telegraphic reports of the tariff discussion at Washington. Take for instance, the article of sugar, concerning which the New Orleans States says:

"In the discussion of the sugar duties the American principle is in no way involved. The necessity of proper protection to the American manufacturer is always conceded. The thing protested against is the wicked protection of an oppressive monopoly in its exploitation of American labor—for the people who feel the burden of the tax are those to whom an added expense of $22 a year in the feeding of a family of five means distress. Such people are always laboring people."

What the people pay indirectly in taxes on what they wear and consume would startle them, and the above is but one of the illustrations of the fact. It is declared that the sugar refiners do not actually need all the protection which they get on sugar. An authority states that the sugar factories are not large employers of labor when their immense operations are taken into acount. A writer describing the huge refineries of the sugar trust mentions their "deserted" appearance. The immense improvements in the refining of sugar which have brought the price of the operation down to where Henry O. Havemeyer admitted that it cost him only half a cent a pound, John deWitt Warner, after exhaustive research estimated its cost at .375 cent, and Byron W. Holt at a third of a cent a pound, have been effected largely through automatic machinery and the use of unskilled, non-union labor. Automatic coal-passers take the coal to mechanical stokers, automatic conveyers carry the sugar to the machinery for putting it through its various stages, and labor is a small part of the industry. It is small in the beet sugar industry, as to which the British Consul Wyndham gave estimates which show that there is only 46 cents of labor in a ton of sugar, on which Mr. Clarkin, writing in the Century in 1903, estimates that the beet sugar men got a profit of from $30 to $40 a ton, and on which, if Mr. Wyndham's impartiality compiled figures are correct, they must make nearer $50 a ton under our tariff.

It is still less in the refineries. If all these unskilled laborers were thrown out of employment, they could obtain other unskilled labor, and in good times would be absorbed into the mass of labor without a shock. But, as a matter of fact, the tariff is more than would be needed for the protection of our labor, even if foreign sugar were refined without labor, and the immense flotations of watered sugar securities prove that it gives the American manufacturers an inordinate profit at the expense of the people's food instead of that fair profit which the Republican platform promises.

If there is any doubt that the consumer pays the duty, and all of it, in the mind of any person, it should be borne in mind that this is one of the cases in which no one can claim that the foreigner pays the tax. In some cases it may, but in this not even the sugar trust claims it.

Statisticians tell us to take the market of March 29 last, for instance. The price of raw sugar at New York was 2.315 cents a pound. The duty on it was 2.315, plus 1,685, or just 4 cents a pound—no more, no less. All homegrown sugar was priced, and always is, to correspond with the foreign.

On this day, March 29, the refiners' cash price to wholesale grocers, was 4.80 cents, and the wholesalers got from the retailers from 4.90 to 4.95, the consumer paying at the grocery store from 5.00 to 7.00, depending on the local competition and other circumstances.

Thus duty of $1.68 1-2 a hundred on a staple that is worth but 2.31 1-2 a hundred at our ports is at the rate of between 78 per cent. and 79 per cent. ad valorem. It is only 56 per cent. on champagnes, 45 per cent. on automobiles, 35 per cent. on furs, 20 per cent on rare paintings and statuary, and 10 per cent. on diamonds.

Last year the duty on sugar cost the people who eat the immense sum of $143,000,000. Only a part of this went into the treasury of the government as duties paid. The balance went to pay the dividends of the $145,000,000 of stock—mostly water—of the sugar trust, the $100,000,000 of stock—mostly water—of the sugar trust's beet sugar plants, and the stock, watered or not, of the Arbuckles, the Spreckleses and other refiners. It was taken out of the people in proportion to their hunger, and not according to their ability. It operated to make the tables of the workers of the land less bountiful and their food less palatable It also operated strongly against the industry of growing and preserving fruits and vegetables in which sugar is a raw material for important manufactures.

After what a too generous country has given the Sugar Trust by the means of a high tariff levied for its benefit by the Republican party, the Trust was greedy and ungrateful enough to steal millions of dollars from that generous Government, as was proven in the recent verdict against the Trust in New York.

HEAD TAX ON IMMIGRANTS.

The Charleston News and Courier takes issue with the North Carolina's junior Senator in his position on immigration. Our Charleston contemporary says:

"Two weeks ago Senator Overman, of North Carolina, offiered an amendment to the House tariff bill proposing a tax of $10 upon every alien entering the United States under the cover of providing revenue, equalizing duties, and encouraging the industries of the United States, and for other purposes, etc. In presenting this amendment Mr. Overman "estimated" that under its operation there would be collected an annual revenue of at least nine or ten million dollars. In 1882 a duty of 50 cents was imposed upon the transportation companies for every passenger not a citizen of the United States brought here by water, and in 1894 this duty was designated as a "head tax," and was increased to $1. It was further increased in 1903 to $2, and stil further increased in 1907 to $4. Mr. Overman's present proposition is that it shall be made now $10. He advocates the increase on the ground that it "will bring us a better and more desirable class of immigrants," that "if the steamships cannot fill their steerage with a less desirable they will fill them with a more desirable." In the course of his remarks Mr. Overman urged as an excuse for the amendment, which he proposed, the fact that the immigrants who have departed from this country in the last ten years have taken back to the countries from which they came nearly a billion dollars, and that last year when 764,000 aliens left this country during the panic they took with them from $200,000,000 to $500,000,000. Why shouldn't they? They had earned it, why should they not do with it what they pleased?

"We think Mr. Overman's amendment is utterly wrong in spirit and principle. It would inflict unnecessary hardship upon desirable immigrants as it is practically equivalent to increasing the passage money. Besides, it would seem that all legislation upon the immigration question should be deferred until the Immigration Commission, created by Congress, which has made a thorough study of the whole subject, has made its report to the next session of Congress. Nothing is to be gained surely by tacking on to the tariff bill legislation which does not belong to it. Not only would the passage of the Overman amendment inflict great hardship upon the foreign peoples coming to the United States in search of homes, but it would be distinctly dangerous to our business interests and would destroy utterly one of our boasted claims that this land is an asylum for the oppressed of all nations.

"It is unfortunate, in our opinion that such an amendment as that proposed by the North Carolina Senator should have been made by any representative of the South. What we want in this part of the country is increased immigration of desirable people, and instead of taxing them $10 the head for coming into the country it would be the wiser and better policy to pay them so much the head for coming here. Certainly, no Southern Senator or Representative should place any obstacles in the way of desirable immigration, and the "head tax" proposed by Mr. Overman would make it impossible for many of the most desirable of the immigrants seeking homes or employment here to come to this country, a country which has been built up, in fact, by foreign immigration."

The immigration question is one that is hard to settle. It strikes us that the inspections at the ports would fairly protect us from undesirable immigrants but it cannot be gainsaid that Senator Overman's plan would go a long way towards it. However, we are disposed to look on the Overman amendment with disfavor.

The Greenville (S. C.) Daily News of which Mr. George W. Brunson, formerly of Wilmington, is editor, is to be published every day in the week. Mr. Brunson is publishing an excellent newspaper and has made a splendid reputation for himself in South Carolina's "Mountain City."

Says the Raleigh News and Observer: "Marshville carried the bond issue for schools. This old State is alive for education and prosperity will follow." Wilmington surely will not fail to measure up to Marshville when we hold our special school tax election, May 26th.

Of course, the Republicans feel sore over Judge Connor's appointment but so far as saying what they think of it, we never did approve of putting profanity in print.

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No surprise will be sprung upon Ex-President Roosevelt when he opens his home papers in the African jungles and learns that the trusts that he busted are doing business at the same old stand.

The Raleigh News and Observer must have found itself agreeably mistaken when it transpired that the Southern Railway did not name the judge for the Eastern North Carolina District.

It is predicted that when President Taft goes to Charlotte May 20th, he will fall in love with the Charlotte girls. Right there is where the President will become our formidable rival.

A scientist says "hair grows at the rate of three-millionths of a yard a second." Men who are not scientists have had all their hair to rise in three millionths of a second.

The Republican party of North Carolina has at last learned the lesson that a house divided against itself over spoils is bound to fall.

The native Africans call Ex-President Roosevelt Bwana Tumbo. They ought to hear what the North Carolina Republicans call President Taft.

Republican judicial aspirants now know what President Taft thinks of them.

"What is it the gentlemen want?" inquires the Chattanooga Times. We know the brand but it is hard to get.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Aldrich wants no income tax. Therefore the present Congress will impose no income tax.—Albany Herald.

—The Mecklenburg county crowd, if credited with being the fathers of the Revolution, cannot escape the responsibility of being the grandfathers of the Daughters of the Revolution.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

—If the President has it in for us we hope he will get satisfaction by appointing Democrats to office, and not try to ruin the whole South by reducing the tariff on lumber.—Clinton News Dispatch (Republican.)

—It strikes us that Judge Adams and the entire State Committee might as well resign, and not bother Senators Simmons and Overman any more in distributing federal patronage.—Clinton News Dispatch (Republican.)

—The announcement of Senator Aldrich that he will retire at the expiration of his present term is a delicate way of saying that he expects the predatory classes to get what is left in three or four years.—Charleston News and Courier.

—We trust that the Navy Department at Washington will grant the North Carolina Navy Department's request for the gunboat Elfrida. Granted the Elfrida, North Carolina's navy could easily lick the navy of any other State.—Raleigh News and Observer.

—It is apparent that the "coal roads" will continue to do business, that coal will continue to be mined, transported and sold, and that the property rights, whether of individuals or corporations, will not be in danger of confiscation by federal power.—Boston Herald.

—At Greenville a few days ago, Judge C. M. Cook charged the grand Jury to bring indictments against the ladies of the town who had been playing cards for silk stockings and other prizes. Evidently Judge Cook is ignorant of the manner in which the fair sex expressed themselves when they learned a few weeks ago that a special tariff had been levied on silk stockings.—Wadesboro Ansonian.

—There is much curiosity outside the State about the new Federal Judge appointed for the Eastern district. The Charleston News and Courier says: "We shall defer expressing an opinion of an alleged Democrat to be Federal Judge in North Carolina until we are informed whether or not he owns an automobile." He does not own an automobile, does not play golf, and has never scratched a Democratic ticket. Isn't that a good record?—Raleigh News and Observer:

—It hardly needs saying that the North Carolina Republican party, which boasts 114,700 votes for Taft and the election of three Congressmen, will not be pleased. As Democrats go, however, Judge Connor is acceptable—chiefly because ten years back he was among those legislators who with ultimate success in the Senate opposed an attempt, made for special partisan ends and without the slightest just cause, to impeach Supreme Court Justices Furches and Douglas.—Charlotte Observer.

—What will be the effect on the Republican party of President Taft's appointment of a Democrat to the vacant Eastern judgeship? Judge Bynum says it will have curious results. Others are less ambiguous and say it will help the party in this State. We don't see why it should affect the party one way or the other. The principles of the G. O. P. are the same that they were before Justice Connor was selected as Judge Purnell's successor. They are the principles which favor the rich and powerful at the expense of the poor and powerless. No judicial appointment can affect those principles, and North Carolina folks will continue to let them alone.—Greensboro Telegram.

—North Carolina's two Senators are making history at Washington. They remind us of the days when Vance and Ransom were there helping to shape the destinies for the people. Senators Simmons and Overman are powers in the Senate and the people of North Carolina are proud of their splendid records. They are both on important committees and each year finds them growing in that body of great law makers. Not only are they rendering a great service to the South, but in by gone years when the Democratic party called for volunteers to fight her battles these two men went forth upon the fields, and redeemed the State from the mountains to the sea, from Murphy to Manteo.—Kenansville News.

—Major Stedman has not yet decided to allow his name to go before Governor Kitchin as the successor of Judge Connor, but his friends are urging him to do so. Governor Kitchin could not do a more graceful act than to tender this appointment to this distinguished son of North Carolina. He is well fitted to occupy the responsible position and we believe that his appointment would give general satisfaction. Major Stedman's service to his State and his party is recognized by every one familiar with the history of the State, and there have been few men who have done so much and received so little recognition. Not because the people did not want him, but on several occasions even to the high position of governor, the fortunes of politics have gone against him by only a fraction. He is the noblest Roman of them all.—High Point Enterprise.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Our new cook is dreadful slow." "So is ours. When we invite people for dinner we tell her they're coming for luncheon."—Harper's Bazaar.

—"I got a postal from a candidate today," said the first farmer. "To what effect?" inquired the second farmer. "Asked me to consider myself slapped on the back and my baby kissed."—Kansas City Journal.

—"Jim!" bawled the impressario of the troupe of performing fleas. "Yessir," said his assistant. "Chase them water bugs away from the stage entrance. They annoy the performers."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"No matter how proud and overbearin' a man may be," said Uncle Eben, "you know he's got to weaken an' beg off. Sooner or later de dentist g'ineter git 'im along wif de rest of us."—Washington Star.

—Hobo—No, madam; I am neither a Socialist nor an anarchist. I am a passive altruist. Housekeeper—And what in the name of common sense is that? Hobo—I believe in being helped all I can.—Boston Transcript.

—"I suppose in these ragtime days you sell very little classical music?" "More than you would imagine," answered the music dealer. "Almost everybody buys a few pieces to place on the piano when high-brow company calls."—Pittsburg Post.

Kills to Stop the Fiend.

The worst foe for 12 years of John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over $400.00 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures Fever sores, Boils, Felons, Eczema, Salt Rheum. Infallible for Piles, Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Corns. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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An Episode of Bridge Whist.

[Original.]

Miss Bend threw down her cards and arose from the table. Her face was flushed, and her eyes flashed with indignation.

"What is it?" asked her partner, Mr. Cunningham.

"Cheating!"

The hostess approached, evidently anxious. "Anything amiss at this table?" she asked.

"Mrs. Lyman and Mr. Porter have been winning our money by using private signals informing each other of their hands!" said Miss Bend loudly.

"Oh, dear, no! None of my guests would do a thing like that. How could you have made such a mistake?"

The accused persons remained in their seats, with an expression on their faces indicating astonishment and injured innocence. Miss Bend and Mr. Cunningham went into another room. They were soon joined by the hostess.

"My dear," she said to Miss Bend, "you have been very indiscreet. We all know Mrs. Lyman's peculiarities. Nobody can prove that she cheats because she does it in a way that defies proof. She has a new signal every time she plays and never uses any signal except when playing with Mr. Porter. Then she makes enough money to regain all losses and have a snug sum over. What was the code tonight?"

"When she was strong in hearts," replied Miss Bend, "she would put her hand on her heart; when strong in diamonds, on her brooch."

The next day the scandal was known to every person of fashion. Mrs. Lyman disappeared for a season, and, as for her partner, it was intimated to him by the governors of his club that if he did not resign his membership he must face an investigation. He resigned and changed his residence.

Several months passed and Miss Bend had nearly forgotten the disagreeable incident when one day while making purchases in a dry goods store a floorwalker stepped up to her and asked her to please step into a private office. She was surprised, but, unsuspicious of anything unpleasant, followed the floorwalker. Arrived at the office, she found there Mr. Dargen of the firm of Dargen & Co. and a woman, who proceeded to examine the contents of her shopping bag. What was Miss Bend's astonishment to see the woman take out a roll of valuable lace.

"Some one put that there," said the girl indignantly. "I remember laying my bag down on the lace counter, forgetting it when I went away and going back for it."

"Bring the clerk," said Mr. Dargen, "who sells these especial goods."

The saleswoman came. When she saw the lace that had been taken from her counter she looked an astonishment that was evidently not assumed.

"How do you account for this lace getting in this lady's bag?" asked Mr. Dargen.

"I haven't an idea," said the clerk.

"Who discovered the theft?"

"A lady," said the floorwalker, "told me that she had seen this lady shoplifting."

"Why did you not hold on to your witness?"

"Fearing to lose the thief, I kept my eyes on her, and the accuser disappeared. I couldn't keep both in sight."

Miss Bend telephoned for her father, who came at once and proved the family respectability. Miss Bend had never before been accused of shoplifting, so the firm of Dargen & Co. consented that she be given time to offer an explanation before being prosecuted.

Despite an effort made to keep the matter quiet it became known. Miss Bend was one of those plain spoken, indifferent girls who, detesting society's methods of varnishing evil, are liable to make enemies outside the circle of their intimate friends. Her enemies said that she had got her just deserts, intimating that Mrs. Lyman, whom she had accused of cheating at cards, had been vindicated. Some of them went so far as to resume their invitations to the latter.

Mrs. Havens, the lady at whose house Mrs. Lyman had been accused, was abroad when Miss Bend was found to have lace in her bag. It was the first bit of news she heard on her return. Hastening to Miss Bend, she said to her:

"I should have warned you, Bertha, that Mrs. Lyman is a dangerous woman to offend and that she would get even with you for making public her cheating. She did this work. Let your lawyer confront her with the saleswoman at the lace counter and the floorwalker. Unless she acted through a confederate they will identify her."

The next day a gentlemanly looking man called on Mrs. Lyman and asked her to accompany him to the office of Dargen & Co. She turned pale and asked by what authority he acted. He replied that she had a choice between complying and being arrested. She thought the matter over and concluded to comply. In Dargen's office she found the floorwalker who had been informed of the theft and the saleswoman at the lace counter. The former identified her as his informant and the latter as a lady who stepped up to the counter at the time Miss Bend's bag was lying there and while its owner was absent.

A compromise was made by which Mrs. Lyman signed a confession to be shown to a few of Miss Bend's friends, and Mrs. Lyman went abroad.

And so it was that this respectable circle settled their differences without referring them to the criminal courts, and this little story never made even a ripple outside the social world.

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State of North Carolina, County of Bladen:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage, executed by W. D. Shaw and wife, on the 8th day of June, 1908, to the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and recorded in Book 16, page 343, in Register of Deeds office of Bladen county, will on the 27th day of May, 1909, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of Bladen County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to-wit:

First Tract, known and designated as follows: Known as the A. H. Perry homestead, bounded on the north by D. R. Perry, and on the south by Benson, containing 26 acres, more or less, and being R. P. McDougald's draw in the division of her father's estate.

Second Tract, beginning at a stake known as the Perry and Benson corner, and runs south 68, west 26 chains to a stake near Reedy Branch; thence south 78, west 30 1-2 chains to a stake; thence 2 east, 12 chains to a stake near the Perry school house; thence 56 west, 30 chains to a stake; thence south 69 east to the beginning, containing 82 acres.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1909.

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SEALED PROPOSALS.

Will be received at the Clerk and Treasurer's office until 11 o'clock A. M., May 28th for collecting and removing all trash beyond the city limits. Contracts for this work will be considered for one or two years. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

WM. E. SPRINGER, Mayor.

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The Morning Star.

Friday, May 14, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 14, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Friday, May 13th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 60 degrees 8 P. M. 67 degrees; maximum 72 degrees; minimum 51 degrees; mean 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, .62 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Thursday at 8 A. M. 10.4 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Friday and Saturday; light variable winds.

Port Calendar—May 14.

Sun Rises.....4:55 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:57 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs 53 min.
High water at Southport 3:42 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:42 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

H. L. Fennell—Notice.
S. P. McNair, Trustee—Notice.
Crystal Palace—Change of Bill.
N. Jacobi Hdw. Co.—More Pastures.
Samuel Bear Sr. & Son—Wool Wanted.
Wm. E. Springer & Co.—Mowing Machines, Etc.

Business Locals.

For Sale—Stock.
H. C. Curtis—For Sale.
A. W. Pait Co.—For Sale.
Smith & Lord—For Sale.
Leger Meyer—Now Located.
For Sale—Development Shares.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. D. C. Love has returned from an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. P. L. Knight, of Rocky Mount.

—C. D. Weeks and A. H. Pait, Esqs., will leave this morning for Elizabethtown on legal business.

—Mr. W. B. Cooper and little son, Horace, who have been spending the past ten days or two weeks in New York on a business and pleasure trip, returned to the city last evening.

—Assistant Engineer E. W. Smith, of the Seaboard Air Line at Portsmouth, arrived yesterday and with Mr. McBee, will be in charge of the extensive terminal improvements now going on in the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Mason and two children left yesterday morning for Waycross, Ga., which will be their home in the future. They were accompanied by their cousin, Mrs. Demmie Thomas, who will also make her home in Waycross.

—Friends of Mr. B. B. Jackson, who last week underwent an operation for appendicitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, will be glad to know that he continues to improve rapidly and hopes to be able in a few days to return home.

—The many young friends of Miss Elizabeth Pemberton, daughter of Captain and Mrs. W. H. Pemberton, who has been so desperately ill with pneumonia at the home of her parents in this city, will be glad to know that she is now improving and her condition gives every hope.

DR. JAMES ORR COMING.

Eminent Scottish Divine at First Presbyterian Church Sunday.

The congregation of the First Presbyterian Church especially and the public generally will have the rare privilege on Sunday morning and evening, at the usual hours for service, of hearing Dr. James Orr, of the Theological Seminary of Glasgow, Scotland, who is now in this country to speak next week at the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church at Savannah, Ga., and who will arrive in the city today from Columbia, S. C., and be a guest of Mr. James Sprunt. Dr. Orr is probably the greatest living scholar in Scotland today and that distinction is a high one. He is the author of a number of works on theology and other subjects and is a profound thinker, writer and preacher. He will be heard with much pleasure in Wilmington and the invitation to hear him is general.

DELIGHTFUL BOAT PARTY.

Misses Mamie and Thelma Brooks Charmingly Entertained Last Night.

Misses Mamie and Thelma Brooks delightfully entertained a company of fifty or more of their young friends on a boat party last evening up the Northeast river on the steamer C. M. Whitlock, which is owned and operated by the father of the hostesses, Mr. J. W. Brooks. The party left the city about 8 o'clock and returned shortly after 10 P. M., all voting the affair a charming success. Refreshments were served on board and the young people enjoyed the outing with keenest pleasure. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks were the chaperones of the young people and enjoyed with them to the fullest extent the splendid outing.

Purchased Handsome Residence.

Mr. B. O. Stone has purchased from Mr. S. M. Leonard the house and lot on northeast corner of Second and Church streets, the consideration being $4,500. The property fronts 45 feet on Church street and 99 feet on Second. The house which was built by Mr. Leonard for a home, has ten rooms and is equipped with every modern convenience. It is considered a very valuable piece of property and was purchased by Mr. Stone as an investment.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleans your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. R. R. Bellamy.

Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

The Theatre

The Crystal Palace ushered in its mid-week change of programme yesterday and the new bill was heartily received by large audiences. The clever artists appearing this week introduced new stunts in connection with their acts, and especially pleasing was the new comedy sketch of Fox and DeMay and the new musical and fun features introduced by Renicke. Miss Jennie DeWeese, in connection with her novel act of trick banjo and violin playing, presented for the first time to Palace-goers her dog "Cuba," who was seen in some laughable and clever tricks of canine skill. Tendehoa, the Indian wonder, continues to be a big favorite and comes in for vigorous applause at every performance. The present programme will continue throughout the week.

At The LeGrand.

Always something to please, entertain and amuse is the motto of the LeGrand theatre and the matinee and evening performances are always well attended. Nurses and little children will be admitted free from 2 to 6 P. M. today and a large number of the little folks are expected. "Uncle's Palm Tree" and two other fine subjects will be offered today.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Mr. Hardy L. Fennell, trustee, advertises that he will receive bids for the private sale of the stock of buggies, harness and saddlery of F. T. Mills until and including Saturday, May 22nd. See advertisement elsewhere in today's paper.

—The Whatsoever Society of the King's Daughters and Sons desire to thank all who have so kindly responded recently to the call for donations for the Training School at Concord, N. C. Many have been most liberal and the Whatsoever Society is deeply grateful for what has been done.

PROFIT BY EXPERIENCE

Raleigh Times Makes Pertinent Observation Regarding School Tax.

The Raleigh Times of Wednesday afternoon has the following very pertinent editorial comment in regard to the school tax to be voted on here May 26th. The Times says:

"Wilmington is to vote on a special school tax. If the tax fails to carry her schools next year will run but five months. We hope the good people of Wilmington will do their duty and vote for the tax at the first opportunity and not have to pass through the experience that Raleigh did. Of course they will vote the tax sooner or later, and they might profit by Raleigh's experience, for the same conditions exist there as existed here, and vote it at once."

DAMAGES FOR LOSS OF FOOT

Gibson Evans Brings Suit Against Waccamaw Lumber Company.

Gibson W. Evans, of this city, through his attorney, C. D. Weeks, Esq., has brought suit in the Superior Court of New Hanover county against the Waccamaw Lumber Company, of Bolton, Columbus county, for personal injuries suffered while in the employ of the company on the 13th of February of this year, when his foot was mashed so severely that it was necessary to amputate the member. The complaint in the case has not been filed yet, but it is understood that damages in the sum of $2,000 will be asked. The plaintiff has so far recovered as to be about on crutches.

Cooking Demonstration at Rehder's.

The cooking demonstration of Miss Lee, representing the Southern Cotton Oil Co., at the big department store of J. H. Rehder & Co., is attracting much attention among the ladies of the city who are cordially invited to attend between the hours of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M. and from 3 to 5 P. M. any day. She makes a specialty of Banbury tarts and will furnish receipts; also for pies, doughnuts, salads, sandwiches, etc. The demonstration will continue through Saturday.

Painter Injured Yesterday.

Mr. J. N. Buriss, of this city, aged 61, a painter employed by Architect H. E. Bonitz on the improvements at Lumina, had the misfortune to fall yesterday morning about 11 o'clock while at work on the pavilion, running a nail through the palm of his hand. He was brought up to the city for medical attention after which he was sent to his home.

May 20th Celebration.

An event of great interest to the members of the three tribes of Red Men of this city is a big excursion to Carolina Beach on May 20th, arrangements for which are now being perfected. The trip will be taken on the steamer Wilmington. An attractive programme will be arranged by a joint committee, which will be named in a few days.

Meeting of The Bar.

The bar of New Hanover county will meet at 10:30 o'clock this morning in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for the purpose of arranging the calendar for the May term of Superior Court for the trial of civil cases. The term will begin on the 24th and will be for two weeks. Judge W. R. Allen will preside.

Sunday Schedule.

The steamer Wilmington will make two trips to Carolina Beach and Southport, leaving Wilmington 9:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., arrive at Wilmington last trip 7:30 P. M. Fare 25c round trip. Dinner may be had at Hotel Carolina Beach. 2t.

Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

MAKE FINAL STAND TONIGHT

Clarence H. Poe, Author and Editor, to Speak in Academy For Schools. Two Meetings Held Yesterday—Registration Closes.

Friends of education in the county will make their final stand before registration closes tomorrow in a great mass meeting in behalf of the public schools of New Hanover in the Academy of Music tonight, upon which occasion it will be the rare good fortune of everybody to hear Mr. Clarence H. Poe, of Raleigh, editor, author and one of the highest authorities in the State upon the subject which he will treat.

Mr. Poe comes at the request of the friends of education in this county and will speak on the question, "The Proposed School Tax; is it a Good Investment?" He believes that it is and will give his reasons for that conviction. All the people of Wilmington and the county, whether in favor, opposed to or indifferent to this question which is now uppermost in the minds of the public are cordially invited to attend, as the occasion will be one of interest as well as of edification. Mr. Poe is editor of the Progressive Farmer, possibly the largest agricultural paper in the South and will be especially delighted to number among his audience the progressive farmers and truck growers of the county, their wives, children and friends. With the fine macadam roads radiating from Wilmington and the excellent car service now operated from Wilmington, it will afford a pleasant evening for all in the country to run over to the city for this address and return the same evening. It was originally intended to have Mr. Poe speak at some central point in the county but he could not be secured for a day engagement, hence the change to Wilmington. The people of the city, too, ladies, gentlemen and children, will find a cordial welcome awaiting them at the speaking tonight, which will begin at 8:15 o'clock. The matter is important and a large audience should greet the distinguished visitor upon this occasion.

Registration for the election on May 26th closes tomorrow night and all day tomorrow the registrars will be at their several polling places from 9 A. M. to sunset for the purpose of recording the names of those who desire to participate in this election for the maintenance of the schools. It is an entirely new registration and unless an elector takes the trouble to register anew, he cannot vote on the day of election. The opponents of the schools are registered full strength and the friends of education can ill afford to do less. Tomorrow will tell the story.

At Hemenway School yesterday noon, in response to the invitation made the day before, a goodly number of parents and friends of education assembled for a brief conference which it is hoped will be productive of much good. Mr. J. A. Taylor presided and among others present, most of whom made short addresses, were Rev. W. E. Hocutt, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. Church; Dr. D. W. Bulluck, Messrs. Wm. H. Sprunt, W. E. Perdew and W. M. Cumming. The meeting was very enthusiastic. The address of Rev. Mr. Hocutt was particularly effective.

Yesterday afternoon there was a fine rally of the friends and supporters of the schools in District No. 13, Middle Sound. Chairman Geo. Rountree, of the County Board of Education, presided and addresses were made by Mr. Rountree, Supt. Washington Catlett, Woodus Kellum, L. Clayton Grant and Jos. W. Little, Esqs., Mr. D. J. Fergus, Mr. W. H. Sprunt, of this city, and Messrs. B. B. Humphrey, E. T. Ennett, J. L. Gorman, C. H. Alexander, Mr. Shepard and others of the Middle Sound section. The addresses were all in favor of the special tax for schools and the people themselves of the district, of which there were a number in attendance, pledged their best effort towards the cause.

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Closing of Maysville Public School. Thos. D. Meares, Jr., Esq.

Thos. D. Meares, Jr., Esq., returned yesterday afternoon from Maysville, N. C., where on Wednesday evening before a large audience he delivered the commencement address at the closing of the public school there. Mr. Meares was introduced by Rev. J. T. Stanford, of the M. E. Church, and spoke along the general theme of "Education" enthusing and inspiring his hearers to greater effort along this line. He was very highly complimented by the people of Maysville on his excellent discourse.

TRAINMEN IN COLUMBUS.

Biennial Convention in Session, Largely Attended—Wilmington There.

The biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen is being held this week in Columbus, Ohio, and the papers of that city speak of the work of the gathering in the highest terms. Grand Master W. G. Lee is presiding and other officers are in attendance. Mr. W. F. Bogart, assistant station master of the A. C. L. in this city, is attending the convention as the representative of Cape Fear Lodge No. 780 of Wilmington. There are 812 delegates in the convention from all parts of the United States.

Lived 152 Years.

Wm. Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields till 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80. James Wright, of Spurlock, Ky., shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For thirty years Kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth." They're a godsend to weak, sickly run-down or old people. Try them. 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

Willow Plumes

We place on sale Monday for the first time this season a complete line of Magnificent Willow plumes—Black, White and Colors. The Willow Plume is an excellent example of beauty and elegance, of simplicity which characterizes all millinery this season.

That now is the time for liberal purchasing because of large Savings is apparent to all who peruse these items.

1 lot $1.50 and $2.00 tips at this sale 98c
1 lot $4.00 and $5.00 large Plumes Black, White and colors $2.75
$7.50 fine Willow Plumes, Black and White...$4.98
$10.00 fine Willow Plumes, Black and White....$6.50
$15.00 and $18.00 fine Willow Plumes, Black and White $9.98

No future Sales event will dim these offerings in even a slight degree.

Special Demonstration to Ladies

Snow Drift Lard and Wesson Cooking Oil commencing Monday and continues all the week. Much information may be gained in the way of cooking by all householders. Cooking etc. free to all. Lady attendants.

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN WARE.

Demonstration of House Furnishings Proofs Plenty of it in these Items which tell eloquently of the economies awaiting you here and here only.

5c Tinware,
Baking Pans,
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Sugar Dishes,
China Bowls,
Large Enamel Pans,
Large Granite Pans.

25c Graniteware,
Blue Enamel Ware,
Large Basin,
Dish Pans,
Buckets,
Coffee Pots,
Tea Pots,
Crockery Ware.

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SOROSIS FOR BOND ISSUE

Favor Proposition for Maintenance of City Schools—Other Matters.

The feature of the last business session of the North Carolina Sorosis for this season, which was held in the Owls' parlors yesterday afternoon, was the adoption of a motion endorsing the school bond issue proposition, pledging the support of the members and urging all the ladies to attend the big rally in the opera house tonight. The ladies, who unfortunately for this cause can not express themselves at the polls, are heartily in favor of the bond issue for the maintenance of the schools of the city and can be counted upon to wield whatever influence they may on the voters of the city.

The meeting yesterday afternoon was a very important one, many matters of special interest being considered and acted upon, chief among which were the arrangements for the big May Music Festival. It was decided to begin at once to collect for the tickets which have been sold. Several matters pertaining to the event were brought up and acted upon.

Interesting reports were received from the delegates to the State Federation of Woman's Clubs which was held recently in Raleigh.

DEAL IN BEACH PROPERTY.

J. G. Wright & Son Effect Sale of Cottages to Individuals.

The largest single sale of property ever made on Wrightsville Beach was consummated yesterday morning through the agency of J. G. Wright & Son. They sold to Maj. E. W. Van-C. Lucas, A. B. Skelding, C. D. Maffitt, H. E. Bonitz, C. N. Evans, Thomas W. Davis and Thomas H. Wright, each, one of the cottages erected Summer before last by the Wrightsville Beach Company.

It is the intention of the purchasers to use these cottages as their Summer homes. This part of the Beach has grown very popular in the last few years and the people who have occupied these cottages have been most enthusiastic in praise of them.

The prospects for the best season Wrightsville Beach has ever known are still growing brighter.

33 CARS BERRIES.

New York Received Bulk of Shipments Through Rocky Mount.

The movement of strawberries through South Rocky Mount yesterday amounted to only 33 cars, the distribution having been as follows: New York 21, Newark 4, Philadelphia 7 and Boston 1. The rain and cool weather the past few days seem to have rather retarded shipments which will begin more in earnest later.

Vegetables are doing remarkably well after the recent rain. Ex-Mayor William E. Springer and other East Wilmington truckers will ship a solid car load of beets today to Philadelphia The prices are said to be very satisfactory.

DR. VENABLE HERE.

Distinguished President of University Guest of Bishop Strange.

Dr. Francis P. Venable, the distinguished president of the University of North Carolina, spent yesterday in the city a guest at the home of Bishop Robert Strange, on Orange street. While in the city, a number of former University men and other friends took occasion to call on Dr. Venable and discuss with him matters pertaining to the head of the State's educational system and were pleased to learn from him that the institution was never in more progressive shape. Dr. Venable leaves on the early Seaboard Air Line train this morning for Charlotte.

Want Home for Baby.

The local post of the Salvation Army has a baby girl, just a week old, for whom they desire to find a good home. Further particulars will be given upon application to the Army headquarters on Front street.

DEATH OF YOUNG LADY.

Miss Jane Sellers Passed Away at Family Home After Short Illness.

The death of Miss Jane Sellers, daughter of the late Joseph Sellers, occurred at the family residence, No. 810 South Front street, yesterday morning at 5 o'clock, following an acute illness from pneumonia and the death will be learned of with profound sorrow by friends and acquaintances of the family. The deceased was in the 36th year of her age and was held in high esteem.

Surviving are three sisters, Misses Pauline, Jerusha and Josephine Sellers, one brother, Mr. R. C. Sellers, and one half-brother, Mr. Geo. DeMott, of Whiteville. The funeral will be held from the home this morning at 9 o'clock, conducted by Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist church and the remains will be conveyed to Green Banks, in Brunswick county, where they will be interred.

BASEBALL BENEFIT.

Caudeville Entertainment in Academy Evening of 21st—Ticket Contest.

On account of the conflict in date with the graduating exercises of the High School, the big vaudeville benefit for the baseball club which was appointed to have been given the evening of May 20th, has been postponed to the night of May 21st and big preparations are now being made for that event. The management will give away four season baseball books to the persons disposing of the largest number of tickets for this benefit. Two of these books will go to children under 16 years of age and two to those over 16. These tickets may be secured at DeRosset's at any time as the contest will begin at once.

Tickets for the benefit are also on sale at the Mission Pharmacy and Struthers' cigar store.

Double Trip of Steamer Sunday.

The steamer Wilmington Sunday will make two round trips to Carolina Beach and Southport and either will afford a delightful opportunity of spending a day of rest on the river. The first trip of the steamer leaves at 9:30 A. M. and the second at 2:30 P. M., returning, arrive at Wilmington on the last trip at 7:30 P. M. The fare for the round trip is only 25c and those who desire to spend the day at the beach may get dinner at the hotel there.

Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

YOU have probably noticed that when you take her a box of the right kind of candy, she smiles and says: "Um! NUNNALLY'S!" She knows how delicious they are. And since it is a pleasure to please others, you will find it very agreeable all around to follow this simple rule: Every time you go take her a box of

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A fresh supply always kept by J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG COMPANY.

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ENTRY NO. 9118, State of North Carolina, New Hanover County:

I, the undersigned, Theodore Biddle, of the above named State and County, do hereby enter and lay claim to the following supposed vacant and unappropriated land, subject to entry, lying and being in Myrtle Grove Sound, Federal Point township, county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows, lying and being on the east side of the channel of Myrtle Grove Sound and surrounded by the waters of the same and commonly known as "Sheephead Rock" and being near an island known as Gum Island, containing five acres, more or less.

This 30th day of April, 1909.

THEO. BIDDLE.

Entered and filed this 30th day of April, 1909. JOHN HAAR, Register of Deeds and acting entry taker. apr 30-30d.

FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSION MAY REDUCE CITY TAX RATE

Mr. James F. Woolvin Elected as Member From Third Ward at Meeting Yesterday Afternoon. At Work on Budget.

At a special meeting of the Fire and Police Commission held at 6 o'clock yesterday evening in the office of the Clerk and Treasurer at the City Hall, Chairman William E. Springer presiding and Capt. John Barry and Mr. William A. French in attendance, Mr. James F. Woolvin was unanimously elected a member of the Commission, vice Mr. Robert H. Northrop, who found it impossible to serve for business reasons.

Mr. Woolvin was immediately notified of his election, accepted and qualified as a member of the body and has already entered upon the duties of the position. No other business was transacted at the meeting yesterday evening but the Commission last night held a conference, going over the general affairs of the two departments under its jurisdiction and arranging the budget of expenses for the ensuing fiscal year to be incorporated in the general appropriations of the city government for the year. A little later officers and members of the two departments will be elected, but these matters were not taken up at the meetings yesterday.

The election of Mr. Woolvin to the Commission will give general satisfaction. He is a man of fine judgment, good business ability and has always taken an interest in public affairs. His recent manifestation of faith in Wilmington's future in the erection of handsome business blocks on Princess street, identifies him fully with the large property interests of the city and he will give strength and influence to the new department of the city government.

SEEMS INCREDITABLE

Indifference of Public Generally Towards Schools—Lord Brougham.

To the Editor of The Morning Star, Wilmington.

It seems incredible that there is any apprehension in the public mind that the cause of Public Schools in Wilmington may be lost by the apathy of our citizens, and that it has been deemed necessary by the Board of Education to bring speakers from other parts of the State to arouse our voters to a sense of their duty in respect to such an essential pre-requisite of citizenship as the education of our children.

On the other hand it is inspiring in the highest degree to witness the untiring energy and zeal of a mere handful of our citizens who, actuated by purely patriotic motives and obvious unselfishness, are moving heaven and earth to insure for our children the inestimable blessing of a public school education.

One of the greatest philanthropists, Lord Brougham, has said: "It is with unspeakable delight that I contemplate the rich gifts that have been bestowed, the honest zeal displayed by private persons for the benefit of their fellow creatures. How many persons do I myself know to whom it is only necessary to say there are men without employment, children uneducated, sufferers in prison, victims of disease, wretches pining in want, and straightway they will abandon all other pursuits, as if they themselves had not large families to provide for; and toil for days and for nights, stolen from their most necessary avocations, to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and shed upon the children of the poor that inestimable blessing of education, which alone gave themselves the wish and the power 'to relieve their fellow men'."

JAMES SPRUNT.

"BLIND TIGER" ARREST.

Colored Man Charged With Selling Intoxicants—Gave $200 Bond.

On the charge of selling whiskey, William H. Jordan, a colored man, was arrested yesterday afternoon at Masonboro Sound by Deputy Sheriff A. T. Piver and Officer D. W. Willis and furnished a bond of $200 with Mr. Warren Davis as surety to appear before the Recorder at the session of court today.

The arrest of Jordan originated, it is understood from the fact that several negroes were intoxicated on the Sound a few nights ago and some inquiry as to how they obtained their liquor brought out the charge against him, the warrant being issued on the affidavit of Colonel Campbell, another negro, who resides in the locality mentioned.

Chief Nathan Williams secured the affidavit from Campbell Wednesday night and placed the warrant in the hands of the police to be served. Officer H. P. Merritt early yesterday morning arrested a colored man named Jordan, but he proved to be the wrong party and was released.

Walter P. Gafford, Esq., has been retained by Jordan and the trial today will be an interesting one. The same party was arrested in Wilmington some four years ago and convicted on the charge of selling whiskey on Sunday. He formerly resided on the Sound, but in recent months has been making his home in the city.

"MORALITY VERSUS FAITH."

Theme of Powerful Discourse at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Frank H. Wright, the evangelist, was heard by a large and attentive congregation at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last night, when he took as the theme of his strong appeal, "Morality Versus Faith." The discourse is spoken of as the most powerful and soul winning yet delivered by the evangelist during the present series. This afternoon at 4 o'clock he will preach a special sermon to young people to which all are invited and urged to attend. Tonight, "Excuses" will be the subject of his sermon.

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Finance Committee of Board of Aldermen Now at Work on Appropriations and Revenue—May Meet Monday.

It is expected that the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, composed of Chairman Louis E. Hall and Messrs. Hinton and Stone, will have completed work on the estimated appropriations for the city government and the tax ordinance for the ensuing fiscal year by the last of this week and that a meeting of the full Board will be held perhaps Monday night for formally passing on the budget and the tax ordinance so that these matters may go over to the regular meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance the following night for concurrence.

The committee has been quite hard at work and nearly all the heads of departments have furnished estimates of the needs of their respective committees, so that work will now be concentrated on the tax ordinance, the source of revenue for the city to meet these appropriations. The most interesting feature of the consideration is the rate on property, real and personal. It is stated that the committee will without a doubt recommend a decrease in the present rate of $1.60 on the $100 valuation to $1.50 and perhaps to $1.40. This would come as quite a much appreciated announcement as the first official act of the new Board and would about, if not more than offset the small additional tax that will be required in the county for the maintenance of the schools. The City of Wilmington contributes nothing to the support of the schools, this burden being carried entirely by the county, and should the Aldermen respond to the present emergency with the reduction contemplated, it would be greatly appreciated by the public and would doubtless remove all doubt as to the carrying of the school election May 26th.

EXERCISES AT KINDERGARTEN.

Interesting and Unique Programme Rendered at Immanuel Church.

The closing exercises of Immanuel Kindergarten took place in the kindergarten hall at Immanuel church yesterday morning, and were attended by a large audience of the patrons and friends, all of whom pronounced the event one of the best of the kind they ever attended. The children acquitted themselves admirably, showing in no small degree the careful training they have received from the teachers, Misses Florence Bonitz, Anna Savage and Nettie King.

The exercises began at 10 o'clock and lasted for half an hour. The rendition of "Crowning of the May Queen" constituted the principal part of the programme. It was surprising and gratifying how well the little tots, none over 6 years old, performed their parts. The instrumental music was skilfully rendered by Misses Bonitz and Savage.

The 40 children were appropriately costumed, representing the different flowers, and the hall was prettily decorated with pines, ferns and flowers.

Deserving of special mention was the queen, Little Miss Isabelle Yopp, four years old, who sustained herself in such a manner as to call for the praise of the entire audience, and Master Sam Matthews, five years old, who sang a solo, "Summer Day" in a remarkably clear tenor voice.

The following were the characters:

Queen—Isabelle Yopp.

Heralds—Archie Parker and Sam Matthews.

Flower Children—Andrew Griffith, Callie Benson and Clio Silvia.

Toadstools—James Branch, Ernest Twiddy and Charlie Willis.

Spring Flowers—Rose, Isabelle Yopp; Daisy, Thelma Cole; Forget-me-not, Mary Lizzie Benson; Buttercup, Leona Caldwell.

Daisies—Mamma, Thelma Cole; Papa, Ronald Young; Twins, Carolyn Price and Lolita Cox; Boy, Harold Matthews; Baby, Almeria Wolfe; Grandma, Cora Lee Piver.

Butterflies—Emma Copeland, Annie Roy McGowan, Anna Turner, Margaret Young, Hazel Brittain and Mary Jacobs.

Watering Pot Drill—George Rowan, Harry Register, John Singletary, Clifton Anderson and William Kermon.

Bees—Dan Silvia, Charlie Rowan, Charles Burke and Roy Elfrank.

Buttercups—Kathryn Emmart, Clara Leasia, Nellie Talbot, Bessie Daniels, Leona Caldwell, Bessie Reynolds, Bessie Anderson and Marian Blizzard.

The annual picnic will be held at Winter Park next Tuesday. The car will leave Front and Castle streets promptly at 10 o'clock. The little folks are looking forward to this trip with happy anticipation.

No Session of Court Yesterday.

There was no session of the Recorder's court yesterday, there being but one, case on the docket and this was not ready for trial. The case is against Martha and Rosa Davis, colored, who were arrested at an early hour yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff Howe on the charge of disorderly conduct. The hearing is set for today and both the prosecution and the defendants will be represented by counsel, Herbert McClammy, Esq., appearing for the prosecution and A. S. Williams and James C. McRae, Esqs., for the defendants. The defendants live on Second, between Hanover and Brunswick streets, where the disorderly conduct is alleged to have occurred.

Arrival of Schooners.

The schooners Emily I. White, Capt. Bryant, and Edward R. Baird, Jr., Capt. Bennett, arrived yesterday from Stapleton, L. I., with cargoes of nitrate of soda for the Wilmington Warehouse and Compress Company. The schooner Edgar C. Ross, Capt. Quillen, arrived from Baltimore, with cargo of coal for the Springer Coal Company. The vessels are to C. D. Maffitt.

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YOUNG MEN ENLIST IN CAUSE

Enthusiastic Educational Rally by Baraca Class of Grace M. E. Church Last Night—Address by Mr. Rountree.

A number of the chief advocates in the school tax campaign, who are waging a militant fight to maintain the Wilmington schools in the approaching election, were greeted by a most inspiring gathering at Grace Methodist church last evening at a rally of the Grace Baraca Class and its friends, who gave encouragement to the movement and heard the splendid address of Geo. Rountree, Esq., chairman of the Board of Education, who spoke with vigor and zeal of the duty of the voters in this emergency.

The Baraca Class is a religious organization that stands for both church and State and its influence in the community is of material value among the young men. Mr. Rountree's crisp and thoughtful remarks on the question have aroused interest among the voters and he was heard to fine advantage last evening.

The meeting was presided over by Herbert McClammy, Esq., president of the Class, who introduced the speaker as a factor in the campaign, who is giving much of his time and energy in the furtherance of good schools in this community.

Mr. Rountree spoke of the rising generation as a matter of great consideration, all children being born with certain faculties, which it should be the purpose and object to develop in the most efficient way, the speaker laying stress on the fact that every child and person is what he is by heredity, environment and education therefore the people should provide an opportunity for development by a thorough course of education. That the people should consider education a religious duty, economical asset and political necessity in all walks of life was an effective point which should have weight with a fair-minded public.

The speaker referred to the improved conditions and development of education in North Carolina during the past few years under the leadership of such men as ex-Governor Aycock and State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner, as in a degree marvelous, and that from the work of such educators as these, the State has taken on a decided impetus and now ranks sixth among the States, at the same time growing faster in a commercial way than in education.

Mr. Rountree spoke principally from a local point of view, making timely references to the advancement and high grade of work of the local schools, which he stated should receive encouragement by a big vote in the coming election and not be destroyed as was the expressed object of some voters. Again referring to education as a religious duty, he expressed his opinion that the State has a perfect right to tax the people to build up the public schools. He spoke of the opposition in the community to the high school, and stated that a number of the voters were willing to let their children learn to read, write and figure, but were opposed to anything beyond this; but on the other hand he looked at it from a different point of view and with a willingness to support the high school first of them, in order that the poor children may receive an education. Mr. Rountree's remarks were received with much pleasure.

Mr. H. G. Foard, a member of the Baraca Class, made a few well directed remarks as to the duty of the young men and urged upon them the necessity of taking part and working hard to win the fight for schools in this city.

Other speakers who spoke of the educational campaign with encouragement were Messrs. J. H. Chadbourn, L. W. Williams and Captain W. H. Newell, former teacher of the Class. The Grace church choir sang several selections during the evening and following the speaking a solo was sung by Mr. W. B. Muse.

AFTER SPECIAL LICENSES

Sheriff Sends Out Notices to Those Liable for Taxes.

Sheriff S. P. Cowan and his office deputy, Mr. James H. Taylor, Jr., were busy yesterday sending out notices to all persons, firms and corporations in the county who are liable for the special license taxes which are due the 1st of June. There are between 300 and 400 persons, firms or corporations in this county subject to the special tax and notices have been mailed to these. The annual revenue for the county and State from this source amounts to between $6,000 and $8,000. For the fiscal year last $6,000 was collected and it is believed that the amount will exceed this sum for the ensuing year.

The sheriff is required to report to the grand jury at its first sitting after June 1st the names of those who have paid the tax and those who have not, and it is in the power of the grand jury to indict those who have neglected the matter.

Those in this county liable for the special tax, with the exception of members of social clubs, the taxes of which are collected semi-annually, in January and July, are: Lawyers, doctors, dentists, photographers, feather renovators, real estate agents, hotel proprietors, commission merchants and brokers, Christian Science healers, stock brokers, undertakers, ship brokers, pawn brokers, agents for photograph enlarging houses, owners of theatres, bottling works, compresses, slot machines, pool tables, packing houses, marine railways and dealers in pistols, trading stamps, horses, bicycles, cigarettes, coal, automobiles and near-beer, and all other dealers who sell a drink as a beverage which contains more than one-half of one per cent. of alcohol.

Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

Daisy Reception Tonight.

The Young People's Missionary Society of Grace M. E. Church will give a Daisy reception in the parlors of the church this evening at 8:30 o'clock. An attractive programme, consisting of recitations, solos, both vocal and instrumental, and dialogues, has been arranged and will be part of the entertainment, which will close with the usual course of refreshments at reasonable prices. There will be no charge for admission and the public is cordially invited.

Spent Pleasant Day at Lumina.

Another happy crowd of children arrived in the city on the 6:15 and 6:50 o'clock cars yesterday afternoon from Lumina, where the day was delightfully spent through the courtesy of the Tidewater Power Company. The party was composed of members of the Brooklyn and Southside Baptist Sunday schools.

ANCIENT SURVEYORS.

Their Methods Depicted on the Old Tombs of Egypt.

In an address delivered before the Royal Geographical society Captain H. G. Lyons, director general of the survey department of Egypt, told of the work of ancient Egyptian surveyors. "At every period of ancient Egyptian history," he said, "the land was measured and recorded with considerable accuracy. Property was dealt in regularly, and an elaborate system of registration was maintained. No map of landed property in ancient Egypt has come down to us, but on the tomb walls we meet with representations of land measurers at work. Their methods of land measurement are represented on the walls of the tomb of one Menna at Sheik Abd el Qurna, in Thebes, a land overseer and inspector of the boundary stones of Amon.

"In the scene depicted are shown two chainmen measuring a field of corn with a long cord, on which are knots or marks at intervals which seem to be about four or five cubits in length. Each also carries a spare cord coiled upon his arm. Beside them walk three officials, who carry writing materials and who are accompanied by a small boy carrying writing materials and a bag in which are probably documents and plans referring to the property. An old man and two boys also accompany the surveyors, and a peasant brings a loaf of bread and a bunch of green corn.

"A similar scene is pictured on the walls of a tomb belonging to a certain Amenhotep, also at Sheik Abd el Qurna. Here only one man accompanies the chainmen, each of whom, as usual, carries a spare cord. The figures are larger than in the tomb of Menna, and, though they are now much damaged, it is possible to see clearly that the cord terminated in a ram's head."

A MAN OF ACTION.

He Got Out of His Tight Corner With Flying Colors.

He was a husband who, when he left home for a week or so on a business trip, invariably took with him a photo of his wife, and in the letters that he wrote to her he always made a great point of this portrait and dwelt upon the fact that the sight of it was the only thing that kept his spirits up when he was far away from her.

One day, however, he left the home and forgot to take the portrait with him. But he was not going to let a little thing like that worry him.

Down he sat and penned his customary amorous epistle, in which the portrait played its usual part. It was not until the letter was posted that he remembered that the portrait had been left at home in a conspicuous place where his wife could not fail to discover it.

The fat was indeed in the fire, but he was a man of action and determined to get out of his tight corner somehow. He remembered the shop where the photo had been taken and promptly wired there for another copy, which he had put into a beautiful frame especially adapted for traveling.

On his return home his wife "handed out the freezing mixture" to begin with and then dissolved in unquenchable tears. When under cross examination she admitted that the cause of her grief was his cruel deception, he produced the newly acquired photo and then asked her, in a hurt voice, how she could possibly have suspected him of working off mere tarradiddle on his little wife.—New York Mail.

The Eternal Feminine.

A photographer was called upon not long ago to make some pictures of an old lady of seventy years or so, but of surprising agility and quickness of perception. The picture man was therefore somewhat surprised to find that no words of address could induce the old lady to speak until after the operation was completed. Then she put her fingers into her mouth, whence she withdrew several wads of paper.

"You wouldn't have me photographed with my cheeks falling in, would you?" she asked the photographer. "I just stuffed some paper in my mouth to fill out."—Harper's Weekly.

Suspicious.

The person who, on examining a homemade henhouse, remarked that it looked as if some fellow had built it himself" has a kindred spirit in a slightfully simple old lady, noted for her naive comments. In a street car not long ago she noticed a man carrying a shotgun and a blanket roll.

"Look at him," she whispered to her companion. "He looks as if he were going to spend the night somewhere."—Youth's Companion.

Tomorrow Night.

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Easy Way to Be Generous.

In a church of a New England village was an old man who had all the Christian graces save one, and that was the grace of liberality. He would do anything in the world for the cause of religion but give up his money. At the close of the financial year 1869 the church found itself $400 in debt. A church meeting was called, and it was voted to circulate a subscription paper on the spot and endeavor to thus raise the sum needed. This was done, and the old gentleman did not put his name on the paper. The result was rather disheartening, $200 only having been pledged. Silence reigned for a moment, when one of the most generous men in the church moved that "we double our subscriptions." Instantly the old gentleman was on his feet and with extraordinary fervor cried, "I second the motion."

He evidently felt that he was thus doing his part in hastening a most desirable result.

Would Follow His Example.

After the battle of Prestonpans a witty Scottish farmer amused himself by writing a ballad upon it, which so stung one of the English officers, who had behaved very basely on the occasion, that he sent the poet a challenge to meet him at H. for mortal combat.

The second found the farmer busy with his hayfork and at once delivered the challenge of the redoubtable hero. The good natured farmer, turning toward him with the agricultural implement, coolly said:

"Gang awa' back to Mester Smith and tell him I hae nae time to come to H. to gie him satisfaction, but that if he likes to come here I'll tak' a look at him, and if I think I can fecht (fight) him I'll fecht him, and if I think I canna fecht him I'll just do as he did—I'll run away."

His Inspiration.

The negro brass band connected with the traveling troupe was blatting a tune in its characteristic slap bang style in front of the theater when a dusky cornet player who had been sulking all day suddenly quit blowing and did not resume.

"Say, Mose," demanded the leader in the ensuing pause, "ain't yo' workin' any mo'?"

"Ah is w'en Ah gits de inspiration," retorted the sulky musician, throwing the whites of his eyes across at the leader.

"W'en am dat?"

"W'en Ah gits mah las' week's pay."—Kansas City Independent.

Conscientious About It.

"Mr. Glizzard," asked the caller, "are you carrying all the life insurance you can afford?"

"No," answered the man at the desk. "I can afford more, and I had expected to take out more, but from a note I got from my employer this morning I have begun to suspect that I'm carrying a good deal more than I am worth."—Chicago Tribune.

Forcing a Success.

"What is the name of your new novel?"

"'The Dungeon.' Good gloomy title, eh?"

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NOTICE! By virtue of an order made by the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina, in a cause in Bankruptcy, entitled in re W. A. Hair & Bro., bankrupts, I, the undersigned, will on Monday, the 24th day of May, A. D., 1909, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of New Hanover County, expose for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the accounts, notes, chosps in action, and other evidences of indebtedness belonging to the estate of said bankrupts, in my hands, as Trustee appointed in said cause.

List of above will be shown to any one interested in the purchase thereof.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all bids made at said sale and to sell said property at private sale. S. P. McNAIR, Trustee, in the matter of W. A. Hair & Bro., Bankrupt.

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T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

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NOTICE

Frequent complaints have been made at this office of automobiles being operated at a reckless speed on the streets and around corners; the City ordinance fixes the speed limit at eight miles an hour. This is a notice to the owners and operators of automobiles that this ordinance will be strictly enforced.

N. J. WILLIAMS, Chief of Police.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Henderson, May 12.—The new bagging plant of Parham Bros., commenced operations in South Henderson Monday, employing 50 operatives and has capacity of turning out every 24 hours, 200 rolls of bagging.

—Elizabethtown, May 12.—J. J. McMillan, one of the most popular young men of all this section, died at his home Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The funeral was conducted from Beth Car church at 3:30 P. M. Sunday, Rev. R. L. Byrd, of Tolarsville, officiating.

—Kinston, May 12.—Last night some time before 11 o'clock, the grocery store of J. F. Jenkins, on the corner of Trianon and Chestnut streets, was broken into, robbed and set on fire. About $25 worth of flour, snuff, tobacco, etc., was taken. The fire damage amounted to about $50.

—Clinton Democrat: There are a few cases of smallpox on the border of Mingo, near where Harnett, Johnston and Sampson join. The other on the far-off edge of Halls, this being in a negro family, Harry Moore's and is said to have been brought there by one of the boys from Goldsboro. The infected families are under quarantine.

—Marion, May 12.—Revenue Officers Delone and Kanipe found an illicit still in a peculiar place near here yesterday. It was located in the second story of the home of Mrs. H. N. Jimmerson. It was a 90-gallon still complete. The officers destroyed it together with eight tubs of beer and a lot of whiskey. The still slop was carried 50 yards from the house in a wooden box-trough to a hog pen.

—William Flanigan, colored, was run over and killed by a train on the Southern Railway at Charlotte at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening. Flannigan was standing on one of the tracks of the Southern talking to a colored woman, when he saw an approaching train. In getting off the track to allow it to pass, he stepped on another track. On that track a train was close on him, and it was from the second train that he lost his life.

—Wadesboro, May 12.—Wadesboro people are very much pleased at the appointment of Judge Connor to the Federal judgeship, although many politicians expressed themselves yesterday as of the opinion that the appointment would give the State to the Republicans at the next election. The members of the local bar have endorsed Judge W. R. Allen for the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench.

—Henderson, May 12.—The Corbitt Buggy and Surrey Manufacturing Co., whose trade extends to every Southern State east of the Mississippi, intends in the near future to annex a plant for the manufacture of automobiles. The first attempt to manufacture the vehicle is a success. Buggy shape, one seat, handsomely painted and substantial, it has for several days been operating its way in graceful manner on the streets of our city.

—Rowland Sun: The entire plant of the Rowland Oil and Fertilizer Co., was destroyed by fire Monday night. There was some insurance on the plant, but it is thought that the net loss, above the insurance, is fully $10,000. The plant was owned by a stock company and will be rebuilt before next fall and will be greatly enarged. There is no cue as to how the fire started. The mill shut down two weeks ago and there had been no fire in the building since then.

—Fairmont Messenger: The postoffice at McDonald was robbed Tuesday night. An entrance was affected by prying open a side window shutter, then breaking a pane of glass where a nail could be reached that held the sash down. This gave entrance not only to the postoffice but to the store of the Iona Supply Co., in which is the postoffice. Only $1.10 in cash and a few stamps is all that was missed. This is the econd time inside of two months this postoffice has been burglarized.

—Kenansville News: Two negroes have gone out from this section and are making their marks as trainers for their race. These negroes are George and Peter Moore, who are the children of an old-time couple, and they were born in Sampson county on the farm. One is the president of an agricultural school and the other travels in the South for the Missionary Baptist Church for foreign missions. They are safe leaders of their race, always advising their people to abstain from politics and pursue industrial lines.

—Winston-Salem, May 12.—A rather complicated civil action has been started here. A team belonging to Geo. C. Tudor took fright at an automobile belonging to R. J. Bowen and ran away. The frightened horses ran into the wagon of J. M. Jarvis, breaking the wagon and so injuring Mr. Jarvis' daughter, Ruth, who was thrown out, that she had to spend some time in the hospital. Tudor has started suit against Bowen, the automobile man, alleging that his horses were so badly injured as a result of the runaway that he had to sell them at a sacrifice; and Jarvis has started a suit for damages against Tudor on account of the broken wagon and the injuries sustained by his daughter.

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Sunday Schedule.

The steamer Wilmington will make two trips to Carolina Beach and Southport, leaving Wilmington 9:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., arrive at Wilmington last trip 7:30 P. M. Fare 25c round trip. Dinner may be had at Hotel Carolina Beach. 2t.

LEAGUE LEADERS DEFEATED.

Fort Caswell Cubs Lose Game to the Senators—Standing of Teams.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fort Caswell, N. C., May 9.—In a game of baseball replete with phenomenal fielding stunts by both teams, the Cubs, the Caswell League leaders, went down to defeat before the Senators in a ten-inning game yesterday by a score of 5 to 4. For intense interest and hard playing a better game is seldom seen

Smith did the pitching for the Teddy-Bears and "Rube" Curtis furnished the slants for the Lawmakers. Both were hit hard, but Curtis proved the most effective in a pinch. Sixteen Cubs perished on bases while only nine of the opposition met that kind of fate.

The feature of the game was the fielding of Davis, the Senators' centerfielder, who got two long drives, one in the ninth and the other in the tenth inning.

Smith allowed 15 hits while Curtis held the Cubs down to nine. Curtis gave one base on balls and struck out three men while Smith allowed no bases on balls and struck out four men. Double plays: Cubs, 2: Smith to Canterberry to Putnam; Carey to Putnam; Senators, 3: Stevens to Clerk; Stevens (unassisted); Paul to Clerk. The Cubs made four runs, nine hits and two errors; Senators, five runs, 15 hits and two errors. The percentage of the teams is as follows: Cubs, 571; Senators 500; Tigers, 435.

THE UPPER AIR.

Danger In the Chill That Comes With the Fall of Night.

Few people who visit Denver realize that it is located only a few feet short of a mile above the sea level. At such altitudes the climate is always treacherous. The midday sun may be broiling hot, but after dark the air is soon chilled and one is liable to contract a cold.

Several of the Spanish cities stand upon the crests of tall hills, where such climatic changes occur after nightfall. When, as a boy at the grand opera, I saw Spaniards in "Carmen" or "The Barber of Seville" toss their long cloaks or capes about their faces I assumed that the act was intended to disguise them—to hide their faces. Nothing of the sort. The Spaniard, like the Italian of the Alpine regions, always covers his mouth after sundown to minimize danger to his lungs from the night air.

Curiously the women haven't any fear of the chill that follows the darkness. They may be seen in low cut bodices at all hours of the evening in the cafes, at balls and on the streets. The men, however, are in terror of cold night winds. Pneumonia and tuberculosis carry off a great many victims in Spain and northern Italy.—Junius Chambers in Brooklyn Eagle.

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Notice is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Jesse Mason, convicted at June 1905 term of the Superior Court of New Hanover County for the crime of assault with intent to kill, secret assault, and sentenced to the penitentiary for the term of six years.

This 6th day of May, 1909.

(Signed) MARY J. MASON,
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Special Rates to Charlotte via Seaboard

The Seaboard will sell tickets to Charlotte account 20th May Celebration at Three Cents (3c) per mile plus twenty-five cents (25cts) for the round trip.

For Military and Brass Bands in uniform, twenty-five or more on one ticket, traveling together in each direction, a rate of one cent per mile distance traveled will apply.

Tickets will be sold May 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, final limit to leave Charlotte up to and including but not later than midnight of May 22nd.

The following round-trip (individual) rates will apply from principal point:

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Wilmington	5.80
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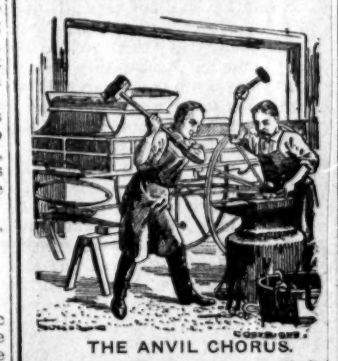

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At the close of business April 28, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$796,125 14
Furniture	100 00
Cash Items	52 50
Due from Banks	62,583 27
Gold Coin	590 00
Silver Coin	522 33
Currency	2,335 00
Total	$862 308 24

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000 00
Undivided Profits	46,016 54
Accrued Interest due depositors	3,000 00
Deposits	763,291 70
Total	$862,308 24

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of April, 1909.

W. B. DRAKE, JR.,
Notary Public.

Correct-Attest:
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Lv. Petersburg	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.m.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

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	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	8:35 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg	7:00 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Ar. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:52 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:48 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:32 am	1:36 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.
Via Wilson.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil'ton.	5:00 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Florence	9:05 am	7:20 pm	3:45 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Cha'ston.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	6:40 am
Ar. Savh.	6:35 pm	2:15 am	9:00 am
Ar. Jk'ville.		7:15 am	1:20 pm
Ar. Tampa.		7:00 pm	10:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:05 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:10 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:39 pm	6:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:25 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

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Lv. Wilmington	8:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:30 am

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TO
THE BEACH
SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 1st, 1909.

Leave Front & Princess Streets	Leave Wrightsville (For Wilmington)	Leave Beach
	* 6:20 A. M.	
* 6:30 A. M.	* 7:25 A. M.	* 7:15 A. M.
* 7:00 A. M.	* 7:55 A. M.	* 7:45 A. M.
* 8:00 A. M.	* 8:25 A. M.	
8:30 A. M.	@9:25 A. M.	@9:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:00 P. M.	2:55 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
and every half hour until 10:00 P. M.	and every half hour until	and every half hour until
11:00 P. M.	10:55 P. M. 11:30 P. M.	10:45 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

@On Sundays this car will leave the Beach at 9:45 instead of 9:15; and leave Wrightsville at 9:55 instead of at 9:25.

SCHEDULE CAROLINA PLACE CAR

Leave Front & Princess	Leave 17th & Market	Leave Golf Grounds
6:45 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	
and every 20 minutes thereafter until	and every 20 minutes thereafter until	
2:45 P. M.	2:35 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
and every half hour until	and every half hour until	and every half hour until
9:45 P. M.	10:05 P. M.	10:00 P. M.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, steady 36 1-2.

ROSIN—Market, steady $2.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market firm, $1.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm $1.75 per barrel for hard; $2.75 for dip and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, 41 3-4 cents; rosin steady $2.65; tar firm $1.60; crude turpentine firm $2.25, $3.00 and $4.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 31
Rosin 106
Tar 25
Crude Turpentine 43

Receipts, same day last year 17 casks spirits turpentine; 53 barrels rosin; 31 barrels tar; 58 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 10 3-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Steady 10 5-8 cents.

Receipts—644 bales, same day last year 268 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 8th:)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 50@55c; extra prime, 65c; fancy 70c; Virginia, prime 65@70c; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish 95@$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Steady; hams, new 15c; shoulders 11@12c; sides 12c.

EGGS—Good demand, 17@18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Good demand at 20@30c for large springs; growns good demand, 40@45c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, dull 7c. per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel. Florida new $4.50 to $5.00 per barrel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 70@75c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Free of burr, 17c; burry wool 10 to 12c.

TURKEYS—Good demand, 15c per lb. on foot; dressed 18c.

GEESE—Dull 50c per head; dressed 50c.

PORK—Good demand 8@9c; corn fed 9c for small pork.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 13.—Today's cotton market was rather less active than yesterday's and somewhat irregular, but the tone was firm in the main and most positions made new high records for the season. The close was feverish at a net advance of 6 to 11 points.

The market opened steady at an advence of 1 to 4 points also disappointing Liverpool futures and after some little hesitation advanced sharply on a renewed demand from outside sources, aggressive bull support and covering by recent sellers for a turn. Large spot sales reported in the English market, continued complaints of dry weather from the Southwest and reports of a better spot demand in the South seemed to be encouraging the expression of bullish sentiment, and while there was very heavy realizing on a scale up the market soon showed a net advance of 9 to 10 points on active months. At this level offerings became still heavier. Prices eased off 10 or 12 points from the top but it was noted that trading became quiet around the closing figures of last night and the market soon steadied owing to the replacing of long lines which had been sold out on the earlier bulge, a renewal of support from some of the leading bulls and covering by scalping shorts. Under the impulse of this buying, and in response to further reports of an increased spot demand from various points in the South, the market sold a shade over the high point of the morning on some months, ruling at one time about 9 to 13 points net higher. The close was only a shade off from the top under realizing.

Receipts at the ports today 13,042 bales against 14,089 last week and 6,297 last year; for the week 100,000 bales against 114,887 last wek and 50,906 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 1,745 bales against 1,456 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 11.30; middling gulf 11.55; sales 1,700 bales. Futures opened steady and closed feverish.

Month	Open	Close
May	10.94-11.00	11.10
June		10.90
July	10.78	10.86
August	10.76	10.86
September	10.78	10.82
October	10.76	10.82
November	10.79	10.84
December	10.81	10.84
January	10.76	10.81
March	10.76	10.80

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Firm, 10 11-16; net receipts 4,833; stock 98,831.

New Orleans—Firm, 10 5-8; net receipts 1,745; stock 198,417.

Mobile—Firm, 10 7-16; net receipts 469; stock 23,269.

Savannah—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 3,674; stock 64,176.

Charleston—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 353; stock 9,893.

Wilmington—Quiet, 10 3-8; net receipts 644; stock 18,077.

Norfolk—Firm, 10 3-4; net receipts 1,236; stock 23,171.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 7-8; stock 8,905.

New York—Quiet, 11.30; net receipts 46; stock 120,030.

Boston—Quiet, 11.30.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.55; net receipts 42; stock 4,648.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 13,042; Great Britain 4,150; Continent 2,874; stock 569,417.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 81,147; Great Britain 18,568, France 3,739; Continent 33,606; Japan 7,191.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, Net receipts 9,380,015; Great Britain 3,177,199; France 953,015; Continent 3,201,624; Japan 192,499; Mexico 15,979.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Steady, 10 5-8; net receipts 1,900; stock 65,267.

Augusta—Firm, 10 3-4; net receipts 227; stock 34,151.

Memphis—Steady, 10 1-2; net receipts 202; stock 77,567.

St. Louis—Firm, 10 1-2; net receipts 233; stock 37,246.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 1,414; stock 19,144.

Louisville—Firm, 10 3-4.

Little Rock—Firm, 10 7-8; net receipts 179; stock 29,915.

Total today—Net receipts 4,155; gross receipts 5,887; shipments 8,000; sales 4,140; stock 263,290.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, May 13.—Cotton: Spot good business done, prices 6 points higher. American middling fair 6.34; good middling 5.98; middling 5.78; low middling 5.60; good ordinary 5.31; ordinary 4.96.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 10,300 American.

Receipts 22,000 bales including 20,700 American. Futures opened barely steady and closed steady. May 5.71; May and June 5.71; June and July 5.74; July and August 5.79; August and September 5.76; September and October 5.74 1-2; October and November 5.72 1-2; November and December 5.71 1-2; December and January 5.71; January and February 5.70 1-2; February and March 5.71; March and April 5.71 1-2.

THE DRY GOCDS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 13.—The dry goods market remains generally quiet. Cotton goods and yarns do not respond to the sharp advances in the raw material. Large sales of printed wash-goods are being made by one company, others are not pushing sales at the low figure. Clothiers linings for spring 1910 have been opened and have been ordered freely.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 13.—The largest part of the transaction in stocks today was made in a handful of selected securities. The reasons for the selection were obscure so far as any authentic news was concerned. The anthracite group amongst the railroads was the favorite subject of these rumors. The supposition persisted that something was about to occur which would prove of value to the stockholders. The special attention given to Delaware & Hudson gave rise to a rumor that it was to figure in a particular way. The speculative sentiment was tinged more or less with suspision by evidences of inconsistency in the explanations of some of the market movements. An upward start in the Southern Railway stocks was unexplained by any special news. This movement coupled with that in Rock Island gave a show of favor for the low-priced stocks. The Harrimans started upwards but met selling pressure again, such as has been in evidence in those stocks for some time pat. The news with most substantial bearing on the propect for affairs came from the Western grain fields, where abundant rains were reported with greatly increased promise for the rapid progress of the crops. The time money market here was reported a trifle easier, without any quotable change in rates. Prices gave away at the end of the day and closed weak.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $5,912,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today were 865,800 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 13.—Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 2; closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Time loans a shade easier; sixty days 2 1-2 per cent., and ninety days 2 3-4 per cent.; six months 3 1-4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8630 to 4.8635 for sixty day bills and at 4.87.75 for demand; commercial bills 4.85 3-4 to 4.86 1-2. Bar silver 52 3-4. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refuding 2s reg	101 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	101 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	102
U. S. 4s reg	119
U. S. 4s cou	120 7-8
American Tobacco Co. 6s	112
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s b	97 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s b	101
Seaboard Air Line 4s	82 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	112
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104 1-2

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	82 7-8
Amr. Car & Foundry	54 5-8
Amr. Cotton Oil Co.	66
Amr. Locomotive	57 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref	92
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	109 1-2
Amr. Sugar Refining	134
Atchison	109 1-8
Atchison pfd	104 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	127
Baltimore & Ohio	115 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	94
Chesapeake & Ohio	78 1-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	151 1-4
Colorado & Southern	64 1-2
Erie	34 3-8
Erie 1st pfd	51 3-4
Erie 2nd pfd	42 1-2
Great Northern pfd	145 5-8
Kansas City Southern	47 5-8
Kansas City Southern pfd	72 1-2
L. & N.	139 1-4
Northern Pacific	145 1-2
Pennsylvania	137 7-8
People's Gas	115 1-4
Reading	157 3-4
Republic Steel pfd	86 1-2
Rock Island Co.	32 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	72
Southern Pacific	122 1-8
Southern Pacific pfd	124 1-2
Southern Railway	31 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	69 5-8
Standard Oil Co.	672
Union Pacific	189
U. S. Steel	57 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd	118 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	50
Western Union	75 3-4
Westinghouse Electric Co.	83 3-8

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 13.—Flour firm with a better inquiry.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 2 red 1.44 to 1.45 elevator. Options a partial 1-4c net loss. May 1.34; July 1.19 5-8; Sept. 1.12 1-2.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 83 1-2 elevator. Options 1-8 to 1-4c net advance. May 83; July 78 3-4; Sept. 75 3-4; Dec. 69 1-2.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed 60 1-2 to 61.

Lard—Strong.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow, Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.42.

Coffee—Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 8 1-8 to 8 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 7-8 to 9.

Mild—Quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 3-4.

Futures closed net unchanged to 15 points higher.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Easy.

Eggs—Firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby selected fancy white 25; do fair to choice 23 1-2 to 24 1-2; brown and mixed fancy 23 to 23 1-2; do fair to choice 21 1-2 to 22 1-2.

Potatoes—Easier; Maine in bulk 180 pounds 3.00; State 2.62 to 2.87; European 2.15 to 2.25.

Cabbages—Easy, unchanged.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Decidedly higher on covering of shorts, light receipts, higher crude values, better from exporters and western interests, strength of cotton and hog products, and bull support. May 5.80 to 6.05; July 5.94 to 5.96; September 6.11 to 6.13; October 6.04 to 6.05. Prime crude 4.66; prime summer yellow 5.84 to 5.94; prime white 6.00 to 6.10; prime winter yellow 5.90 to 6.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 13.—Interest of traders in the wheat pit on the board of trade again centered today in weather conditions in Kansas, and as additional rain had been reported in that State, prices continued to sag, closing quotations being unchanged to 1-2c lower compared with yesterday's final figures. Corn and provisions closed firm and oats steady.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open	High	Close
Wheat.			
May	1 26 1-2	1 27 1-4	1 27
July	1 12 1-2	1 13 1-4	1 12 3-4
Sept	1 05 1-8	1 06 1-4	1 05 5-8
Dec.	1 04	1 04 7-8	1 04 1-8
Corn.			
May	72 3-4	73 1-2	73 1-4
July	68 3-4	69 1-2	69 3-8
Sept	67 1-8	67 3-4	67 5-8
Dec.	58 1-4	58 3-4	58 1-2
Oats			
May	58 3-4	58 7-8	58 7-8
July	51 7-8	52	52
Sept	44 1-8	44 1-4	44 1-4
Dec.	44 3-4	44 3-4	44 3-4
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
May	18 12 1-2	18 15	18 15
July	18 20	18 30	18 25
Sept	18 20	18 30	18 27 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
May	10 57 1-2	10 65	10 62 1-2
July	10 62 1-2	10 70	10 70
Sept	10 75	10 80	10 80
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
May	10 12 1-2	10 15	10 15
July	10 12 1-2	10 15	10 15
Sept	10 20	10 22 1-2	10 22 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 13.—Turpentine and rosin quiet.

Charleston, May 13.—Turpentine quiet 37 1-2; sales 30 casks. Rosin quiet; sales 140 barrels. Quote: A B C, 2.90 to 2.95; D, 3.35; E, 3.57 to 3.65; F, 3.60 to 3.70.

Savannah, May 13.—Turpentine firm 37 1-2; sales 481; receipts 998; shipments 93. Rosin firm; sales 2,190; receipts 2,775; shipments 1,070; stock 110,336. Quote: B, 2.90 to 2.95; D, 3.35; E, 3.60 to 3.65; F, 3.60 to 3.72 1-2; G, 3.65 to 3.77 1-2; H, 3.90; I, 3.90; K, 4.75; M, 4.80; N, 4.90 to 5.00; WG, 5.15; WW, 5.15 to 5.25.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Schr. Emily I. White, 206 tons Bryant, Stapleton, L. I., C. D. Maffitt.

Schr. Edgar C. Ross, 215 tons, Quillen, Baltimore, C. D. Maffitt.

Schr. Edward R. Baird, Jr., 263 tons, Bennett, Stapleton, L. I., C. D. Maffitt.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Str. Lyon, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, N. C., May 13 1909.

C. C. Railroad—16 barrels tar, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—118 bales cotton, W., C. & A. Railroad—467 bales cotton, 1 barrel tar, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—59 bales cotton, 19 casks spirits turpentine, 62 barrels rosin, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—9 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. C. T. Herman—9 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin.

Schr. Josie D—8 barrels tar.

Str. Lyon—3 casks spirits turpentine, 20 barrels rosin, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—644 bales cotton, 31 barrels spirits turpentine, 106 barrels rosin, 25 barrels tar, 43 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Tabaristan (Br.) 1,836 tons, Payton, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Eretza Mendi (Spn.) 2,578 tons, Aurda, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Margaret May Riley (Br.) Richards, C. D. Maffitt.

Joel Cook, 319 tons, Loveland, C. D. Maffitt.

Edward R. Baird, Jr., 263 tons, Bennett, C. D. Maffitt.

Frances Hyde, 382 tons, Charlson, C. D. Maffitt.

Edgar C. Ross, 215 tons, Quillen, C. D. Maffitt.

Emily I. White, 206 tons, Bryant, C. D. Maffitt.

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Sunday Schedule.

The steamer Wilmington will make two trips to Carolina Beach and Southport, leaving Wilmington 9:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., arrive at Wilmington last trip 7:30 P. M. Fare 25c round trip. Dinner may be had at Hotel Carolina Beach. 2t.

Report of the Condition of

The Southern National Bank at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, April 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,022,825.55
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,987.83
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		200,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		None.
Bonds, securities, etc.		72,196.18
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		5,000.00
Other real estate owned.		None.
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		167,477.03
Due from State Banks and Bankers		102,261.03
Due from approved reserve agents		67,768.93
Checks and other cash items		8,174.69
Notes of other National Banks		4,685.00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents		1,708.29
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, Viz:		
Specie	$18,916.00	
Legal tender notes	30,672.00	49,588.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		10,000.00
Totai		$ 1,714,672.53

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 200,000.00
Surplus Fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.	43,905.05
National Bank notes outstanding	200,000.00
Due to Other National Banks	212,354.96
Due to State Banks and Bankers	385,417.00
Due to approved reserve agents	46,431.28
Dividends unpaid	20.00
Individual deposits subject to check	364,523.11
Demand certificates of deposit	None
Time certificate of deposit	None
Certified checks	93.32
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,927.81
United States deposits	10,000.00
Bonds borrowed	None
Notes and bills rediscounted	None
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	150,000.00
Total	$ 1,714,672.53

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

I, C. N. Evans, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of April, 1909.

F. W. DICK, Notary Public.

My Commission expires Feb. 22, 1910.

Correct—Attest:

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AFFAIRS IN RALEIGH

(Continued From First Page.)

Pittinger, Raleigh; Dr. J. F. Murdock, Salisbury; Rev. R. W. Hogue, Chapel Hill; W. L. London, Pittsboro; J. C. Horner, Oxford; W. A. Smith, Ansonville.

Hon. J. Y. Joyner is just back from Beaufort where he and ex-Governor Jarvis spoke in the interest of a special school tax. The election is to be held May 20th. Supt. Joyner says Beaufort is the only town of her size in the State that has not voted special taxes for the public schools. Morehead fell in line educationally with other progressive towns more than a year ago. He expresses confidence in the success of the movement for the Beaufort tax.

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State geologist, who is just now pushing especially the spreading of the movement for road improvement throughout the State, is to deliver an address in Newbern June 7th through an invitation from the board of commissioners of Craven. The address is to be at 11 o'clock and the commissioners and Dr. Pratt are especially anxious to have not only the people of Craven but officials and citizens of other counties of the eastern section there for an exchange of views. Dr. Pratt will discuss especially "Public Road Improvement and Permanent Bridge Building." He will treat especially the construction of steel.

Governor Kitchin issued a commission today to H. C. Carter, Fairfield, Hyde county, as a member of the State Board of Agriculture to succeed J. J. Laughinghouse, resigned to become superintendent of the State's prison.

Capt. Tom C. Daniels and Commander C. L. Bradham, of the Naval Brigade, spent the day here in conference with Adjutant General Armfield and Governor Kitchin relative to holding a practice cruise this Summer on the practice ship Elfrida, promised from the government. It is thought probable the State military authorities will arrange to meet the expense of mobolizing the companies on the cruise and the companies will have to provision the vessel.

BISHOP GALLOWAY.

Funeral Largely Attended at Jackson, Miss., Yesterday.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Jackson, Miss., May 13.—Bishop Charles B. Galloway, of the Methodist church, was laid to rest today, the funeral taking place from the First Methodist church.

The large edifice could not hold the vast concourse that assembled to pay tribute. Hundreds of members of the Methodist clergy from all parts of the State and many from adjoining States came to attend the obsequies, the young clergymen serving as active pall-bearers and the older members as honorary pall-bearers.

The prayer and scripture reading service was conducted by W. H. Laprade, of Meridian, and Dr. H. M. Dubose, of Nashville. Orations were delivered by Bishop E. R. Hendrix, of Kansas City, and Bishop Warren A. Candler, of Atlanta.

All business was suspended in Jackson and the various departments of State, Federal, county, and municipal government were closed.

JOHN SMITH MONUMENT

Unveiled on Jamestown Island Yesterday by Joseph Bryan.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., May 13.—Joseph Bryan III, unveiled today the John Smith monument on Jamestown Island, and the statue, which is the gift of his grandfather, the late Joseph Bryan, became the property of the Association for the preservation of Virginia antiquities. The presentation exercises were leading feature of the annual pilgrimage of the Association to the island today being the 302nd anniversary of the landing of the English at Jamestown.

WARM WIRELETS.

Senator Tillman yesterday introduced an amendment to the tariff bill making tea dutiable at 10 cents a pound. The purpose is to protect the tea industry of South Carolina.

New York financiers and others arrived at Newport yesterday and after an inspection of the C. & O. terminals left in company with that railway's officials for an inspection of the system.

The trial of William Adler, former president of the now defunct State National Bank of New Orleans, who was inducted on 72 counts for alleged misapplication of the funds of that institution, to the amount of more than a half million dollars, went to the jury yesterday after lasting nearly a month. No verdict is announced.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., will continue to be the headquarters of the grand division of the Order of Railway Conductors. Although W. T. Taylor, formerly attorney general of Indiana, and Chas. A. Bookwalter, of Indianapolis, made strong pleas at the session of the grand division in behalf of the Indiana city, they could not induce the convention to move the general offices.

Two Old Adages.

There are two old adages. "Haste makes waste" and "Make haste slowly," that every one should employ when they undertake to cure a cough in a few minutes with preparations containing morphine, opium, chloroform or other narcotics. They may stop the cough and cause sleep quickly, but they also dry up the secretions and constipate, leaving ofttimes a far worse trouble. Rydale's Cough Elixir is guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drugs Law to contain no opiates nor harmful drugs of any kind or character. Think about it when you or one of the children have a cough. Robert R. Bellamy.

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BASE BALL

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Boston, May 13.—In a hard-fought 13-inning game today, during which Umpire Cusack was assaulted by one of the visiting players and three of them were ordered off the grounds, the Boston Nationals defeated Cincinnati by a score of 3 to 2. In the 12th inning when Catcher Roth, running for McLean, was called out at the plate on a close decision he attacked Umpire Cusack, striking him with both hands on the chest. Roth and Dubec were immediately put off the grounds. Dubec had been sitting on the bench. Lobert and Huggins were removed from the coaching lines.

Manager Griffith had been ejected previously for disputing another decision. The visiting team was left without a catcher and Shortstop Downey was pressed into service.

Cincinnati	000 010 000 0100	2	12 5
Boston	000 000 100 0101	3	15 2

Campbell and McLean and Downey; Ferguson, Mattern and Bowerman. Time 2:45. Umpires Cusack and Johnstone.

New York, May 13.—New York made it two out of three today from Chicago. Both teams played fast ball, five double plays being made.

Chicago	000 000 010	1	4 0
New York	100 2.0 10x	4	6 0

Kroh, Hagerman and Moran; Mathewson and Myers. Time 1:37. Umpires Rigler and Truby.

Brooklyn, May 13.—Brooklyn defeated St. Louis in a pitchers' contest today 2 to 1, Kustus scoring the winning tally in the sixth with a home run to deep left.

St. Louis	100 000 000	1	4 1
Brooklyn	100 001 00x	2	6 0

Lush and Phelps; Rucker and Bergen. Time 1:43. Umpires Klem and Kane.

Philadelphia, May 13.—Pittsburg won a hard fought game here today 6 to 4. Willis was knocked out of the box in the eighth inning. Leever succeeded him.

Philadelphia	101 110 000	4	10 3
Pittsburg	010 100 301	6	8 1

Moore and Dooin; Willis, Leever and Gibson. Time 2:05. Umpires Emslie and O'Day.

American League.

Chicago, May 13.—Chicago and Washington in the American League battled for 17 innings today and the game was called on account of darkness with the score 1 to 1. In the 17th, the locals had men on second and third with one out. Manager Sullivan then took himself out and sent in Welday, a left-hand batter.

When Cantillon saw this move he sent Hughes, then pitching, to right field and sent in Gray, a left-handed pitcher. Sullivan countered by taking out Welday after Gray had pitched one ball to him. Then Cantillon tried to withdraw Gray and send Hughes back against Owens, a right-handed hitter. According to the new rule it was up to Gray to finish pitching to the man who was then batting or give a pass.

After some heated argument, the umpires forced Gray to continue pitching to Owens. He did and passed him. Tannehill was the next man up and Hughes returned to the box while Ganley went to right field. Tannehill hit to Hughes and Atz was forced at the plate. White ended the chances with a grounder to Delhanty.

Chi.	000 010 000 000 000 00	1	13 1
Wash.	000 000 100 000 000 00	1	6 3

White and Sullivan; Gray, Johnson, Burns and Hughes and Street. Time 3:15. Umpires Egan and Connolly.

Cleveland, May 13.—Boston made it three straight from Cleveland today, completely outplaying the locals and winning 8 to 1. It rained from the last of the seventh on.

Cleveland	000 000 010	1	5 4
Boston	101 000 051	8	17 0

Young and Easterly; Morgan and Carrigan. Time 2:11. Umpire Evans.

Detroit, May 13.—New York caught Suggs weakening in the eighth and drove him out of the box. Five hits, three passes and two sacrifice flies netted six runs, and decided the result.

Detroit	110 000 101	4	12 0
New York	000 000 060	6	11 3

Suggs, Willett, Donovan and Schmidt and Beckendorf; Manning, Warhop and Kleinow and Blair. Time 2:18. Umpires Sheridan and Kerin.

Southern League.

At Little Rock 8; Birmingham 1.
At Mobile 6; Montgomery 9.
At New Orleans 2; Atlanta 5.
At Memphis 1; Nashville 3.

South Atlantic League.

At Chattanooga 5; Jacksonville 0.
At Augusta 2; Savannah 1.
At Charleston 1; Macon 0.
At Columbia 1; Columbus 6.

Virginia League.

At Lynchburg 1; Danville 6.
At Portsmouth 6; Roanoke 3.
At Richmond 11; Norfolk 3.

Carolina League.

At Spartanburg 1; Winston-Salem 0.
At Charlotte 2; Greensboro 1.
At Greenville 2; Anderson 3.

Releases Approved.

New York, May 13.—Acting President Heydler, of the National League, today announced his approval of releases by Pittsburg to Roanoke (Virginia League) Robert C. Vail; by St. Louis to Montgomery (Southern League) Champ O'Steen.

Goldsboro Defeats A. C. C.

Goldsboro, N. C., May 13.—The Giants defeated Atlantic Christian College of Wilson here today by the score of 9 to 6. The game was very slow and full of "bone head" plays and errors.

Goldsboro	140 001 12x	9	10 2
A. C. C.	120 300 000	6	11 3

Devivey, Pritchard and Fulton; Davis and Stallings and Winstead and Rawlings. Umpire, Mr. Quinn. Attendance 300 knockers.

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Tomorrow Night.

Week-end dance at Lumina. Monday night Barn Dance. **

A CHILD'S HEROISM.

The Story of a Visit to the Beautiful Glasnevin Cemetery.

A pathetic story of a child's heroism is told by a Dublin gentleman. Recently he proposed to drive with his wife to the beautiful Glasnevin cemetery. Calling his son, a bright little boy, some four years old, he told him to get ready to accompany them. The child's countenance fell, and the father said:

"Don't you want to go, Willie?"

The little lip quivered, but the child answered, "Yes, papa, if you wish."

The child was strangely silent during the drive, and when the carriage drove up to the entrance he clung to his mother's side and looked up in her face with pathetic wistfulness.

The party alighted and walked among the graves and along the tree shadowed avenues, looking at the inscriptions on the last resting places of the dwellers in the beautiful city of the dead. After an hour or so thus spent they returned to the carriage, and the father lifted his little son to his seat. The child looked surprised, drew a breath of relief and asked:

"Why, am I going back with you?"

"Of course you are. Why not?"

"I thought when they took little boys to the cemetery they left them there," said the child.

Many a man does not show the heroism in the face of death that this child evinced in what to him had evidently been a summons to leave the world.—London Telegraph.

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FOR SALE—One six-room, two-story house. Water and electric lights, lot 30x165, 606 Orange street. A. W. Pait Co. ma 14-3t.

FOR SALE—Stock of groceries, soft drinks, restaurant and fixtures in both places. Established business, best locality south of Market street. Address "13" care of Star. ma 14-tf.

FOR RENT—Dwelling No. 515 Market street. One of the finest locations in the city. Possession given after June 1st. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street, Insurance and Real Estate. 'phone No. 766. ma 14-tf.

BROTHERHOOD of Railway Clerks. Every member is urgently requested to be present at our next meeting and hear something pleasing to the ear and partake of something good to the inner man. K. of P. hall, 8 P. M., May 14th. Entertainment Committee. ma 13 2t

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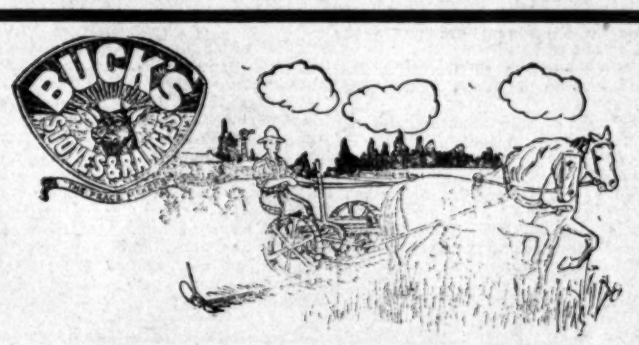

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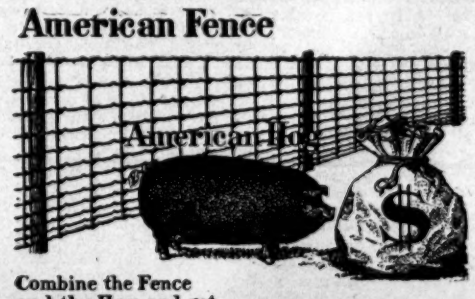

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